

Lie Pinned On Japs Again--No U.S. Warships Sunk

Nip Victory Claim Answered By More Bombs On Formosa

China-based Yank Planes Sink Enemy Cruiser and Destroyer In South China Sea - Mikado's Fleet Comes Out of Hiding But Turns and Flees When American Strength Seen

By LEONARD MILLIMAN
(By the Associated Press)
The Japanese fleet refused to fight Adm. William F. Halsey's powerful third fleet off Formosa. Adm. Chester W. Nimitz said today in flatly contradicting Tokyo's boasts of an "overwhelming victory."

Part of the enemy fleet came out of hiding, but turned tail and fled when they saw the American force, the Pacific commander announced. He added:

No American carriers or battle-ships have been badly damaged in a week of aerial hammering at Japan's inner defense line. The only two U. S. warships knocked out of action—apparently destroyers or cruisers—were hit by land based torpedo planes. Both ships retired with small casualties.

Jap Cruiser Sunk
A Japanese cruiser, apparently fleeing from Halsey's force, was sunk in the South China Sea by the U. S. China-based 14th Air force.

An accompanying destroyer was probably sunk, Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell announced, and 48,000 tons of shipping was bombed and possibly sunk in Hongkong Harbor where it had sought refuge from Adm. Marc A. Mitscher's carrier forces.

A delayed report from a U. S. 14th Air Force advanced base in China said a single B-24 Liberator blew up a heavy Japanese cruiser and sank a destroyer in a 45-minute, low level attack today on a six-ship convoy moving toward Formosa.

The Liberator attack jackknifed the cruiser, filling the air with shattered armorplate and other debris. Evidently the bombs touched off her magazine.

The explosion thrust up the tail of the silvery Liberator and nearly plunged the crew of 11 into the China Sea from their run only a few hundred feet above the convoy.

It took all the strength of the command pilot, Maj. H. S. (Stump) Carswell, Jr., and the pilot, Capt. Donald N. Armstrong, to pull the bomber out of the dive. It got back to its base low on gasoline, but undamaged.

Nimitz' answer to Tokyo claims that as many as 52 American ships were sunk or damaged came as Superforts from China smashed at Formosa for the third time within four days, and carried planes opened the second week of blasting Japan's Ryukyu-Formosa-Philippines defense line with renewed sorties over the Philippines.

During the first week of these raids between 828 and 843 Japanese aircraft were destroyed and 146 surface vessels sunk or damaged.

Borneo Oil Field Hit
South of the Philippines Gen. Douglas MacArthur's fighter-escorted bombers made their fourth mass attack in two weeks on the vital Balikpapan oil refineries of Borneo, again leaving it in flames. Between 49 and 67 enemy interceptors were shot down—the

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1,500,000 CIGARETTES GO UP IN SMOKE; FIRE DESTROYS TOBACCO HOUSE

COLUMBUS, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Fire came today in the midst of plenty.

Upward of 1,500,000 cigarettes—tried to get any lately—were destroyed by flames that destroyed the Levy Mendel Tobacco Co. on the northern fringe of the downtown area.

The smokes arrived only yesterday, and were to have been distributed today to retailers.

CONVICTED KILLER FREED FROM PRISON ON PAROLE

COLUMBUS, Oct. 17.—(AP)—William Herron, 57, convicted killer of his sister-in-law in Tuscarawas County in February, 1923, was paroled today by the Ohio Pardon and Parole Commission.

Herron, who was sentenced to Ohio Penitentiary for life for second degree murder, will be freed November 22. His parole was one of 26 granted to penitentiary inmates. Ten conditional releases were approved.



The Signal Corps photographer risked his life to get these pictures from inside embattled Aachen. The one at left above shows dramatic action in a street in which a Yank gun crew is opening up on a Nazi position in the background. With hands reaching for the sky, a detachment of German prisoners stands outside the shell-battered house from which they were rooted out by American doughboys. A lone Yank guards them. (International)

YANKS TIGHTEN AACHEN RING

POWERFUL NEW RED OFFENSIVE IS LAUNCHED AGAINST PRUSSIA

Russians Also Reported Massing Tanks for Assault on Warsaw While in Balkans Battle Rages in Hungary and Yugoslavia—British in Control in Greece

(By the Associated Press)
A great new Russian offensive has opened and has reached the East Prussian border northeast of the Lithuanian town of Vilkaviskis. The German communiqué acknowledged today.

The drive was on a 25-mile front on both sides of the town by masses of Russian infantry, tanks and fighter bombers striking after a drumfire barrage lasting several hours. The Germans asserted 145 tanks were destroyed in opening phases of the battle.

"Large-scale troop concentrations had been observed for days past," the enemy broadcast said.

NAZIS FLEE BELGRADE

LONDON, Oct. 17.—(AP)—The Germans said tonight their puppet government of Yugoslavia had fled from Belgrade. A Transoceanic broadcast said: "The Serbian government of General Nedice left Belgrade after Soviet troops penetrated the southern section of the city. The government now is en route to its future seat."

"They now have started their storm against the German defense lines."

"Strong artillery fire and severe bombing preceded the attack of tanks and infantry."

Vilkaviskis lies 12 miles from the central section of the East Prussian border, along which Russian troops have been deployed since August 17.

Memel Threatened
Other Russian troops besieging Memel are threatening the rail city of Tilsit in East Prussia and already have invaded the 1,099-square miles of Memel territory which Hitler annexed to East Prussia six months before the outbreak of the war.

Still others are menacing East Prussia from the south from two bridgeheads which Berlin said were established across the Narew River.

Far to the south, Russian and Yugoslav Partisans were fighting the last phase of the battle of Belgrade in the streets of that 2,000-year-old capital. The whole German position in Yugoslavia was placed in the greatest jeopardy by the capture of the rail center of Nis and 175 miles of the Trans-Balkan Railway south of the Yugoslav capital.

Warsaw Attack Looms
Berlin said, moreover, that 1,000 Russian tanks had been massed for an imminent assault on the Polish capital of Warsaw, in whose eastern industrial suburb of Praga the Russian armies are bivouacked.

The Germans said the great tank battle on the flat Hungarian plain within 50 miles east of Budapest had "increased in fury" and that the outcome was uncertain.

In the south, the united armies were thrusting toward Skopje, at the head of the Vardar Valley and last big rail junction point from which any Germans remaining in

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This Is Why They Hate Germans In Countries Conquered By Nazis

By HAL BOYLE
WITH THE AEF IN BELGIUM.

October 10.—(Delayed)—(AP)—Civilians near the German frontier cannot understand why the American army isn't as ruthless with the German populace as the Nazis were with the citizens of adjoining countries when Hitler was in his heyday.

Typical is the Lardinois family in the little Belgian village of Aubel. Two of us stopped at their little confectionery for some

pastry. They insisted that we stay for lunch and the table was spread with real Belgian hospitality—which is equal to any in the world.

After the dishes had been cleared, our hostess, Madame Joseph Lardinois, told us why she and her three children—Jean, 24, Marthe, 21, and Marie Jose, 20—will always hate the Nazis.

Joseph Lardinois was a prosperous wholesale grocer in 1940 when the German army crashed across

the frontier. He bundled the family into their car and started toward Brussels.

Beyond Liege the column of refugees was attacked by 40 Nazi planes.

"They came down and strafed us, setting the car ahead and the car behind us on fire. My husband halted our car then and helped me and the children to a ditch where we stretched out to escape the flying bullets."

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Revolt Breaks Out In Hungarian Army

By WADE WERNER

LONDON, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Open revolt in the Hungarian army against German efforts to force continuance of the war against the Allies was indicated today in Berlin reports that high Hungarian officers had "gone over to the Soviets."

The official German News Agency DNB said the commander of the second Hungarian army had

been dismissed and that Maj. Gen. Bela Niklos Von Dalmok, commander of the First army, had deserted to the Red army along with his chief of staff, Colonel Keri.

Conditions remained chaotic in Hungary, where invading Russian troops fought within 50 miles of Budapest, and it was questionable whether the Germans could expect any further effective military assistance from this last remaining ally.

RESTRICTIONS EASED FOR MEN'S CLOTHES

Late Spring Suits May Have Belts and Pleats

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Suits with belts, patch pockets and pleats—even rear pleats—probably will reach men's clothing stores in late spring of early, the War Production Board reported today.

Announcing the dropping of all restrictions on men's suits, except the ban on two-pants suits and vests with double-breasted coats, WPB said, however, the fancier models could not be expected to reach stores "in the immediate future." Manufacturers were reported loaded with army orders that will keep them busy for the next three months.

Although most demands for pre-war styling have concerned the extra pair of trousers, WPB said this could not be granted because of shortages of both labor and worsted fabric. Otherwise, however, the lid is off, with Zitt suits restored to legality.

CIGARETTE SHORTAGE IS TO CONTINUE FOR THREE OR FOUR MONTHS, REPORT

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 17.—(AP)—Despite a sufficient supply of cigarette tobacco and with factories at peak production, no relief from the cigarette shortage is in sight "for at least two or three months," due to armed service purchases, T. V. Hartnett, president of Brown and Williamson Tobacco Corp., said today.



COVERING THE OPENING in a log-reinforced dugout at Aitape, New Guinea, Corp. Ralph Cook, Troop A, 112th Cav., points his .45 at a Jap that is hiding inside. He refused to surrender and a quick shot wound up his fight for the Emperor with a loud bang. (International)

New Deal Incompetent Dewey Says at St. Louis

(By the Associated Press)
The political temperature climbed today under hot applications by Governor Dewey and Senator Truman, Dewey calling the Roosevelt administration "the most spectacular collection of incompetent people who ever held public office," and Truman labeling Dewey a "fence straddler" with a low opinion of American capacity.

Also warming things up were Interior Secretary Ickes and Rep. Clare Boothe Luce. Ickes said the Republican presidential candidate's "one principle is to do whatever is necessary" to be elected.

Mrs. Luce declared before a Pittsburgh audience the CIO Political Action Committee "is Nazi German Sauterkraut with Soviet Russian dressing."

Dewey Hits WPA
While President Roosevelt awaited his next scheduled speech, on foreign policy Saturday night, Dewey traveled back to New York after leaving these questions with a St. Louis audience:

"Is the tired and quarrelsome New Deal all America has to offer? Must we go back to leaf raking and doles? Must our returning heroes go on the same old WPA? Must our farmers go back to detailed control by a host of New Deal agents, with falling prices to boot?"

Truman, running for vice president with Mr. Roosevelt on the Democratic ticket, speaking in Los Angeles, also posed some questions. Saying that "for six years the Republican candidate has been seeking the presidency," he asked:

Truman Pictures Dewey
"Do you remember the Republican candidate as a courageous leader who took strong stands... that were proved correct by subsequent events? Or do you remember him as an office seeker dealing in platitudes and sitting on the fence waiting to find out

of little aid.

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BIG NEW DRIVE FEARED BY NAZIS

Hub of One Road to Ruhr Is Seized in Holland—Planes Rock Cologne With Bombs

(By the Associated Press)

U. S. troops tightened their ring about Aachen today after smashing Nazi counterattacks, while 1300 heavy American bombers gave Cologne, 40 miles to the east, its worst hammering of the war.

The Germans declared the Allies were preparing for a great new offensive on this northern sector of the front.

A front dispatch declared the Germans rested quietly before Aachen today, spent by counterattacks which an American staff officer estimated had cost the Nazis 25 percent of their attacking troops.

Supreme headquarters said the Doughboys in a night-long fight had thrown back the heaviest Nazi counterblow yet mounted east of Aachen, and at dawn held firmly to their lines. The U. S. line was swiftly being built up in strength.

Road Hub Captured
Fifty miles to the north, British troops broke into the streets of Venray, Dutch road hub eight miles from Germany on one path-way to the Rhine-Ruhr region. Fall of the town appeared imminent.

An AP correspondent at Aachen said it had become apparent that "the state of German supply is better than had earlier been supposed—much better in fact." About 3,500 civilians now have been escorted from that dying city, he added.

The Nazi counter-blow near Aachen sprang forward late yesterday, and reached a peak near midnight, with fierce fighting north of Crucifix Hill and Verlauntenheide.

Nazis Fear New Drive
Berlin radio declared the Americans were preparing for a new offensive, and the enemy command stepped up the tempo of counterblows along the front. German artillery was rushed up in the attempt to hold U. S. forces in the sector near Aachen.

American-British pressure increased along a 50-mile front from Venray to Aachen. An Allied tactical authority likened the situation to that which preceded August's Normandy breakthrough. Tommies fought house to house for Venray, a few miles from the Maas (Meuse) River, and other columns approached from the north and east.

American teams continued slowly digging Germans out of surrounded Aachen, and repulsed all German counterblows east and northeast of the Siegfried line city.

American Reinforcements
German broadcasts told of strong reinforcements moving up behind American lines, and spoke of a coming "battle of Geilen-

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DEWEY AND BRICKER FACE NEW CHARGES

Retraction of 'Defamatory Utterances' Demanded

MILWAUKEE, Oct. 17.—(AP)—A complaint demanding that Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, the Republican presidential candidate, his running mate, Gov. John W. Bricker, and Rep. Clare Boothe Luce retract alleged "defamatory and untrue utterances" against President Roosevelt was filed with the Federal Communications Commission today by William B. Rubin, Milwaukee attorney and former Democratic candidate for governor of Wisconsin.

Named as defendants were the National Broadcasting Co., the Columbia Broadcasting Co., the Mutual Broadcasting Co. and the Blue Network.

Rubin's complaint alleged that the three speakers named have "willfully, maliciously and repeatedly made unjustified charges" against the President; that they have falsely accused him of unpreparedness; falsely charged him with the responsibility for the Pearl Harbor disaster and falsely held him responsible for unnecessary loss of American life.

NWF CANVASS GETS UNDER WAY AFTER MEETING

Rev Twining Outlines Purpose; WHS Band Plays; Movies Shown to Workers

The war veteran speaker for the National War Fund kick-off meeting Monday night did not arrive, but the 200-odd who came to the high school auditorium at 8 P. M. today have a clear picture of the purposes of the house to house drive which began Tuesday.

Rev. Harold B. Twining, in his outline of the goals of the drive, gave the workers a picture of what the \$24,900 asked here will help accomplish. The high school band, under William B. Clift's baton, provided plenty of music before the meeting proper began: a movie, "Memo To Joe," with narration by Quentin Reynolds gave a pictorial story of the National War Fund's way of helping soldiers and civilians alike and Walter Rettig, campaign chairman, outlined the methods under which the drive now in progress is conducted.

"War hasn't destroyed mercy and goodness. The National War Fund can be the direct expression of the generosity of the American people," Rev. Twining said. He told the workers that more than half of every dollar contributed will help directly Allied fighting men, through the USO with clubs from Alaska to Brazil and from Hawaii to Newfoundland and with shows overseas; through the 94 clubs for merchant seamen throughout the world and through the war prisoners' aid which brings books, musical instruments and sports equipment to prisoners of war to help them combat "barbed wire sickness."

Besides the aid to servicemen, the National War Fund brings food, clothing and medicine to Allies, Rev. Twining said. He described the Greek children in Athens who are fed once a day because of contributions to the National War Fund—probably the only food they get all day.

Of the \$250,000,000 sought nationally for the war fund, less than one percent goes for overhead—campaign and publicity expenses, Rev. Twining stressed.

"There is hope for the world as long as there is hope and compassion in the hearts of men throughout the world," Rev. Twining declared.

Rettig, who presided at the meeting, explained that \$4,000 of the Fayette County quota will be used for Fayette County projects. For the Boy Scouts, and the 4-H Club Camp Clifton improvement fund, \$1,500 each is allotted; for the servicemen's canteen at the bus station, \$1,000 will be set aside.

He told the group three reports will be made before the end of the drive, to be concluded October 25. On Thursday, workers are to report to their ward or township chairman. Another workers' report is scheduled Monday and the last report, a meeting for chairmen only, will be in the common pleas court room October 25.

Rettig recognized group chairmen Carroll Halliday, special gifts; Emmett Passmore, industries; Walter Patton, publicity; Mac Dews, retail; Fred Rost and Gilbert Crouse, chains and utilities; W. J. Hilty, clubs and organizations; W. W. Montgomery, Ralph Nisley and Loren Hynes, townships; Charles Reinke, assistant chairman and J. Roush Burton, treasurer. He praised the men for the work they have done in setting up the organization for the drive.

Rettig also complimented the ward chairmen for their organizations. They are G. A. Handley and George Campbell, ward one; Harold F. McCord and Billie Wilson, ward two; George Pensyl, ward three; and Ambrose Elliott and W. W. Humphries, ward four.

Rev. Raphael D. Rodgers, pastor of St. Colman's Church, pronounced the invocation and Rev. John K. Abernethy, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, asked the benediction.

Materials were distributed to the workers after the meeting in the auditorium.

American Indian women are said to be as skillful in lacemaking as the artisans of European centers where this craft has flourished for centuries.

Mainly About People

Mr. Ralph Marchant is recovering in room 277 of Grant Hospital, Columbus, having undergone a major operation last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Draper (nee Flora Louise Hays of this city) announce the birth of a seven pound daughter, born Tuesday morning at the North Vernon, Ind. Hospital.

Mrs. S. W. Zimmerman of near Buena Vista, is seriously ill at her home, friends here are learning. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zimmerman of Springfield were called to her home by her serious condition.

Miss Donna Marilyn Purcell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Purcell of Bloomington, has accepted a position with the Washington Savings Bank, and assumed her duties there, Monday morning.

Weather

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

Chalmers Burns, Observer
Low Monday Night 23
Minimum, Monday 23
Temp., 9 P. M., Monday 28
Maximum, Monday 40
Precipitation, Monday 0
Minimum, 8 A. M., Tuesday 28
Maximum this date 1943 52
Minimum this date 1943 26
Precipitation this date 1943 26

The Associated Press temperature chart showing weather conditions, maximum yesterday and minimum last night.

Akron, clear	42	38
Albany, clear	40	35
Albany, clear	38	35
Buffalo, clear	38	35
Chicago, clear	38	35
Cincinnati, clear	38	35
Cleveland, clear	38	35
Columbus, clear	38	35
Dayton, clear	38	35
Denver, clear	38	35
Detroit, clear	38	35
Fort Worth, clear	38	35
Huntington, W. Va., foggy	38	35
Indianapolis, clear	38	35
Kansas City, clear	38	35
Louisville, clear	38	35
Memphis, clear	38	35
Minneapolis, clear	38	35
New York, clear	38	35
Oklahoma City, clear	38	35
Pittsburgh, clear	38	35
Toledo, clear	38	35
Washington, D. C., clear	38	35

REVOLT BREAKS OUT IN HUNGARIAN ARMY AS BALKANS COLLAPSE

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to "make a contribution to their own liberation."

A Moscow broadcast recorded by the Federal Communications Commission urged Austrians to "let events in Hungary be a warning and a signal that the hour of decision has come for Austria."

Horthy's whereabouts meanwhile remained uncertain. He has variously been reported assassinated, held by the Gestapo in Germany, and holding out in a Hungarian castle with 1,000 faithful troops.

WOMAN FINED \$21.20 FOLLOWING SCRIMMAGE

Marie Newland, facing a charge of disorderly conduct filed against her by Bessie Cline, following trouble between the two women on South Hinde Street, Tuesday forenoon, was fined \$15 and costs, a total of \$21.20, in Judge R. H. Sites' court.

Policeman Harley Haggard was called to the scene by neighbors and brought both women to headquarters, where the charge was filed.

SEVENTH MAN UNDER CARE OF PHYSICIAN

William Brandon, veteran Ohio Water Service employee, was among the men injured in the fire here Sunday.

Brandon was overcome by fumes and suffered from exposure with the result that he is under a physician's care due to lung and heart ailments.

Emerson Warner, also an employee of the Ohio Water Service Co., sustained a fractured ankle when the walls collapsed.

GRILL WAS ABLAZE

Firemen were called to the Ruler restaurant, Monday, where the grease about the grill was blazing. Considerable damage was done about the grill before firemen smothered the flames with hand extinguishers. Chief Hall recommended that a hand extinguisher be purchased by the restaurant proprietor to use in such emergencies.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps.

POWER WORKERS STRIKE LOOMING SATURDAY NIGHT

May Involve Dayton Power And Light Employees If Carried Out

Reports out of Cleveland regarding the wage dispute at the plant of the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company and action of The Dayton Power and Light Company employees in voting to strike in sympathy with the Cleveland group, indicate the matter is heading to an early showdown.

However it is extremely doubtful if the proposed strike will reach the plant here, although it is possible.

Regarding the matter Supt. F. E. Hill said Tuesday that there is no controversy between The Dayton Power and Light Company and its employees either here or elsewhere, and that the company and the union are under contract.

Further than this Hill declined to discuss the affair.

From Cleveland comes the following story regarding the matter, from the Associated Press: Government agencies attempting to settle a wage dispute at the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co. have until Saturday midnight to avert a strike of approximately 1,770 CEI employees, Leonard E. Palmer, local president of the CIO-Utility Workers Organizing Committee, indicated today.

"Palmer last night announced a UWOV Local 270 strike committee set the Saturday midnight deadline while a War Production Board committee prepared a report on the question of referring the dispute to the National War Labor Board because of "rare and unusual circumstances."

"CEI operating, maintenance and construction workers voted 936 to 686 in favor of strike action in a national labor relations board election Oct. 7, Palmer said unionists at the Dayton Light and Power Co., who voted 312 to 248 for staging a sympathy walkout, would be notified of the Cleveland local's union.

"The regional War Labor Board on Oct. 2 affirmed its panel's recommendation to deny CEI workers a seven-cent hourly wage increase.

"A Union petition for review of the wage decision was received yesterday by the regional WLB. The petition asserted the action of the regional board in considering the Monongahela-West Penn Public Service Co. wage increase as justified because of rare and unusual circumstances should be followed in the CEI case.

"The board's order was unfair, the union petition added, because it did not consider that average straight-time hourly pay for employees of the Cleveland Municipal Light Plant is higher than that of CEI.

"A CEI shutdown would disrupt war production and living conditions in five northeastern Ohio counties—Cuyahoga, Lorain, Ashtabula, Geauga and Lake. A walkout at the Dayton plant would affect service to a score of southern Ohio counties."

NEW DEAL INCOMPETENT DEWEY SAYS AT ST. LOUIS AS CAMPAIGN WARMS UP

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which way to jump?"

In 1940, Truman said, Dewey pooh-poohed the president's goal of 50,000 planes, whereas "we are building airplanes at . . . twice the number Mr. Dewey said was impossible." Truman drew the conclusion that "under a president like the Republican candidate, we would have set our sights too low."

Today, in his speech at Newark, N. J., likewise called Dewey a straddler, saying "the Republican word weavers and advertising ex-

perts are trying to persuade you to accept an ersatz, synthetic Mr. Dewey of luminous convictions."

Fury of Woman Scorned
R. J. Thomas, president of the CIO United Auto Workers said today that Rep. Clare Boothe Luce (R-Conn) had sought the support of the Political Action Committee and now was "giving a demonstration of another playwright's lines. 'Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned.'"

Thomas, who also is treasurer of the National Citizens Political Action Committee, issued a formal statement replying to Mrs. Luce's criticism of PAC. He said:

"Two months ago Mrs. Luce came up to me at a luncheon of congressmen from both parties in the speaker's dining room at the Capitol, and complained that the PAC in her district was not supporting her for re-election. She offered me the advice—as a friend of labor—that it would be wiser for the PAC to support Republicans as well as Democrats. She said we were making a mistake in tying ourselves to the Democratic party."

"I told her that the local PAC in her district would decide for itself which candidate they would endorse. I told her also that PAC is supporting progressive Republicans and that we were not wedded to any political party."

Bricker Encourages West
Gov. John W. Bricker declared today that the east should not be allowed to get the "jump" on the west in reconversion to peace time production."

"You have heard it suggested," the Republican candidate for vice president said in a prepared speech released by his campaign staff, "that when that time (defeat of Germany) comes, the industries of the east can be reconverted to peace time production while you (the west) continue to produce tools of war to defeat Japan."

"I say to you that the winning of the war over Japan is the responsibility of all our country. Any other policy would delay the day of final victory. And it would also impair the economic well-being of this entire nation."

"Family War," Says FDR
Describing the current war as "more of a family matter than any previous war," President Roosevelt told American War Dads today that "there is no diminution in the effort at home . . . with God's help, we shall not fail."

In a formal statement read at the opening of the national convention of the American War Dads organized two years ago to help bridge the gap between civilians and returning servicemen, the president said:

"The present war—the most terrible the world has ever known—has become, perforce, more of a family matter than any previous war with our sons, daughters, wives and thousands of mothers participating so diligently and faithfully in the thousands of home and battle area tasks, indispensable to the welfare of our armed forces and to the successful prosecution of the war."

Two Ohio Republican standard bearers, U. S. Senator Robert A. Taft and James Garfield Stewart, and one Democrat, Frank J. Lausche, resumed their campaigns last night after a weekend respite.

Taft, seeking re-election, declared in a radio address that Secretary of State Hull had submitted a "very disturbing" proposal by which each of the four strongest allies could veto use of military force against aggressors.

Taft declared that "the pact would be against aggression unless it was undertaken by England, Russia, China or the United States."

"Since these nations are the only ones likely to be strong enough to do any aggression for some years to come," he added, "the purpose of the league is largely defeated."

Stewart, candidate for governor, told Cleveland rallies that "a tidal wave of Republican votes in southern Ohio" would give him a state majority large enough "to crack your teeth."

In an address at Port Clinton,

Lausche again attacked Schorr, declaring "the GOP chief side-tracked two World War veterans, Thomas J. Herbert and Paul Herbert, and used every method of political machination to nominate his neighbor, the mayor of Cincinnati, as the candidate for governor."

Stewart goes to Lorain County today while Lausche speaks in northwestern Ohio.

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Greece could swing northwestward.

It appeared questionable, however, that any large numbers of Germans remained either in Greece or lower Yugoslavia. Berlin has indicated that the Nazis have fled or are fleeing. The speed of the Russian-Bulgarian-Yugoslav westward sweep suggested only minor opposition.

British Hold Greece
British troops, landed from more than 150 warships, patrolled the streets of Athens today after breaking up clashes between rival Greek factions.

The fleet of warships included units of the Royal Navy and Canadian, South African, Greek, French and Polish naval craft.

The first units of British troops disembarked at the port of Piraeus yesterday and paraded through Athens between lanes of cheering, palm-waving Greeks.

The arrival of the British broke up armed clashes between rival Greek factions in the civil square. Order was restored within a few hours.

The Moscow communique announced the joint forces had occupied the key highway and rail junction of Nis, 125 miles south-east of Belgrade, a development the Bulgarians first disclosed Saturday.

Fanning out southward along the spur of the railway leading to Greece, this combined drive now has reached as far as Vranje, 52 miles south of Nis—more than half way to Skopje. Lebanon, 13 miles west of Nis, also has fallen.

Moscow gave no new details of the fighting for Belgrade beyond announcing that 1,500 prisoners were taken in the suburbs. The Germans, however, said Russian tanks had thrust into the inner defenses of the capital. The Algiers radio said two-thirds of the city had been freed.

Finns Go Into Arctic
Finnish troops have crossed the Arctic Circle at several points in their drive to clear the Germans from Lapland, a Helsinki communique announced Friday.

In the environs of Rovaniemi, Nazis defending fortified positions offered strong resistance to Finnish attacks. (A Finnish broadcast recorded by the FCC said Robaniemi had been captured.)

Heavy battles were reported in the Tornearv Valley where the enemy used tanks and heavy artillery. Severe losses were inflicted on the Germans who were driven from positions at Turtola and the pursuing Finns captured Kuoskenki, the communique said.

SIX NEW POLIO CASES IN OHIO - TOTAL IS 993

COLUMBUS, Oct. 17.—(P)—James E. Bauman, acting health director today reported six new cases of infantile paralysis, bringing the total number of cases so far this year to 993, of which 161 are still active.

Only 184 cases were reported during all of 1943.

Cuyahoga County reported three of the new cases and Montgomery, Lorain and Summit counties each one.

TUES.-WED.

AIR-CONDITIONED FAYETTE
BUY WAR STAMPS AND BONDS AT THIS THEATRE

Not Since "The Good Earth" . . . Such A Picture!

DRAGON SEED

KATHARINE HEPBURN
Walter Huston · Aline MacMahon
Akim Tamiroff
Turhan Bey

—Plus—
LATEST NEWS
7:00-9:25 P. M.
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YANKS TIGHTEN ON AACHEN AS NAZIS SAY BIG NEW ALLIED DRIVE IN MAKING

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kirchen." This town is 10 miles above Aachen in Germany.

A front dispatch said the Germans turned the heaviest artillery barrage of the Siegfried line battles against Americans southeast of Geilenkirchen, yesterday. Supreme headquarters reported heavy artillery and mortar fire near Oden, midway between Aachen and Geilenkirchen. "Stiff opposition of all types is being met" near Wurselen, where the Allied "pinners" on Aachen was closed, it added.

Canadian army troops advanced more than a half mile above the Leopold Canal in the push to clear the German pocket south of the Schelde estuary, and open the approaches to Antwerp. The Germans began withdrawing today to a new defense line, running three miles below Breskens.

Berlin radio acknowledged "two small breaches" were opened by tanks and flamethrowers south of Breskens.

Allies Ready in Holland
The German radio said the British Second Army, backed by 1,500 tanks, was "at the ready" in the Nijmegen-Arnhem area of eastern Holland, waiting until it can be sure of a supply port.

At the lower end of the 460-mile western front, the French First Army made slight gains in a campaign to outflank Belfort Gap. Repeated enemy counterattacks were repulsed in the Vosges foothills, two of them failing in the Lunerville area. Allied troops advanced farther east of the Moselle River northeast of Le Thillot.

On the U. S. Third Army sector to the north, the Germans west of Metz with loudspeakers called on the Americans to surrender or "be annihilated" within three hours. The ultimatum expired, nothing happened, and the silence remained unbroken amid a steady rain which filled foxholes.

The Allied tactical authority at supreme headquarters in Paris said the present phase of the western front battle in the Aachen-Venray area and elsewhere is not a period of lull, even though Allied gains have been small.

Battle of Italy
In Italy, New Zealand troops of the Eighth Army have advanced on a broad front north of the Rimini-Bologna highway, driving from their bridgehead across the Sola Bigossa Canal toward the Pisciatello River, the next objective, Allied headquarters announced today.

To the west the Fifth Army

made gains of up to 1,000 yards in the mountains before the famed university city and northern Italy communications center of Bologna.

Field Marshal Gen. Albert Kesselring apparently has decided to fight for Bologna and German troops have been shipped into position for a bitter battle for the ancient city, it was announced.

In one 12-hour period approximately 1,000 German artillery shells fell on the forward lines of the Fifth Army in the vicinity of Highway 65, the main road leading from Florence to Bologna. Nevertheless, the American units which captured Livorno on the highway have cleared that town and advanced to within nine miles of Bologna's outskirts.

Still farther east American troops have reached points north of the bulge in the Castel Del Rio-Castel San Pietro road. Other units were on the southern slopes of the hill town of Santa Anna and in the village of Bacanello.

Allied aircraft from the Mediterranean ranged over Germany, Austria and Czechoslovakia yesterday attacking oil refineries, airplane factories and rail yards.

Sixteen Allied aircraft, of which 10 were heavy bombers, were missing from these operations. Nineteen enemy planes were destroyed.

More than 2,000 American Flying Fortresses and Liberators bombed the western front communications and industrial center of Cologne today for the sixth time in six days.

Swift Mosquito bombers flew through the smoke of previous explosive-set fires and bombed the great Prussian city of 768,426 on the Rhine before dawn. Cologne has vast rail yards which funnel supplies to the western front and it is the home of the Henschel tank works and the Bettenhausen ordnance works.

Some 800 fighters escorted the bombers, making the invading planes total more than 2,100. Early reports made no mention of enemy opposition.

The Mosquito mission over Cologne was without loss.

Cologne, less than 40 miles inside the West Wall from Aachen, was ripped by more than 2,000 American Fortresses and Liberators over the week end in the most concentrated raid ever staged by the Eighth Air Force.

A squadron of RAF Tempests, the lightning fast fighters which gained fame chasing flying-bombs, roamed into Germany for the first time yesterday. They found two trains and set both on fire.

Flying through a rainstorm to answer an army call for help, rocket Typhoons silenced a battery of German field guns near

Venray, in Holland, with 56 rockets.

More than 500 American heavy bombers from Italy attacked seven rail yards, two aircraft engine factories and other targets yesterday in Germany, Austria and Czechoslovakia while escorting fighters destroyed 19 interceptors, it was announced in Rome.

Fortresses bombed the west rail yards and ammunition dumps in Salsburg, 25 miles northeast of Hitler's mountain fastness at Berchtesgaden.

THREE WAR VICTIMS
HILLSBORO — Three Highland County service men have been killed in France and Germany. They are Pfc. Sherman Carter, 19; Pfc. Raymond Garrison, 32; Lieut. W. Homer Seltzer, Jr., 23.

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War Hours

Uncle Sam is making good progress on every war front, but the war is not over yet, by a long shot. And for effective prosecution of the war, industrial production is as important as military service.

That means man-power in the war factories, as ample and faithful as manpower on the battlefields. And to maintain such productive power, as Commissioner Paul V. McNutt has recently announced, it is imperative to continue operating on no less than a 48-hour week. The working time cannot be relaxed because this nation is in "the most crucial period we have experienced since the war production program began."

To many a veteran of the last war it must seem odd that any such problem should arise at all. The usual day's work during that crisis was very much longer.

Reborn Townsend Plan

A modified Townsend plan is to be voted on by California in November. It would give \$60 to every citizen 60 years of age, provided he had lived in the state five years or more, did not work, and spent his \$60 in 30 days. The source of this benefit would be a new three percent gross income tax. The present sales tax would be repealed, but all other taxes remain.

Californians opposed to this say it would increase state aid to the aged from 163,000 persons to 1,000,000. They do not see how the state can afford it.

Some day some state will adopt such a plan, and then there will be no possible doubt as to whether or not it will work.

The Music Racket

"Pretty please, Mr. Petrillo," begs the New York Times, in an editorial pointing out the absurd arrogance with which the head of the American Federation of Musicians has shut off from the public most of the radio music in this country. The Times suggests that Petrillo be given some of the same kind of treatment administered so quickly by the administration to Montgomery Ward when it had failed to comply with an order of the War Labor Board. President Roosevelt made a personal plea to Petrillo and was definitely turned down.

The American public has borne very patiently its deprivation of much of the music formerly received over the radio systems, of which it has been deprived by Petrillo's dictatorial powers, as interpreted in a surprising decision of the Supreme Court. That decision, the Times observes, gives the music dictator power to force musicians into his union or boycott them if they stay out. Hence comes the great lack of music on the air, compared with what was available before the present barrier was established.

Maybe there should be a chorus of cheated American citizens crying: "Please, Mr. Petrillo, give us back our music!"

On the other hand, maybe appeasement is not the best method of handling union racketeers.

Darkness and Light

People who seek new names and causes for the wickedness of these times can find plenty of help in ancient history, and also

Flashes of Life

Bird Comes Out With the Wash

MOUNT VERNON, Ind.—(P)—Mrs. Karl Barro found a bird's nest in a play suit she hung on the wash line and she scolded her young son, who denied it. Next washday she found another nest, this time in a clothes pin bag. There, swinging from its pendulous perch, a wren, obviously angered by the intrusion upon its home life, scolded Mrs. Barro roundly.

Watches Wind to Wind Watch

BATON ROUGE, La.—(P)—Lloyd Hollet, home because of a "scratch" from mortar fire after two years of ambulance driving for the American Field Service, found in the Middle East a unique way to tell time—by pauses in an incessant wind.

"They call it Kam Sagen," he reports, "which means '50 or 500.' It ceases for a half hour at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M. You could almost set your watch by it."

Millionaire Hot Dog Man

LOS ANGELES—(P)—Hobby of Dominic Jebbia, who is said to be worth \$6,000,000, is selling hot dogs and dispensing homely philosophy to golfers at the ninth hole of the California Golf and Country Club, which he owns. Most golfers, not recognizing the millionaire, take him for just another hot dog salesman.

Grab Bag

One-Minute Test

1. What and where is the tallest living tree?
2. What is the heaviest wood in the world?
3. What is stumpy?

Words of Wisdom

The true order of learning should be: first, what is necessary; second, what is useful, and third, what is ornamental. To reverse this arrangement is like beginning to build at the top of the edifice.—Mrs. Sigourney.

Hints on Etiquette

If a man asks a girl for a date a long time in advance, he should telephone her a day or so before the date so that she will know he hasn't forgotten about it.

Today's Horoscope

You are domestic, reliable, competent and generally satisfied with yourself if this is your birthday. You have definite likes and dislikes, are bright, witty, good natured and popular in your own circle. You should marry young. In the next 12 months life will proceed on an even keel. Elders will be helpful, but you should avoid doubtful business ventures and the law. Be content with steady, though small, gains. Born today a child will be of a somewhat impatient nature, and hard to please, but fully alive to his or her own interests.

One-Minute Test Answers

1. A California coast redwood, 364 feet tall, 12 feet 7 inches in diameter.
2. Black ironwood.
3. Merchantable standing timber intended for cutting.

in the traditions and religions that existed before any formal history was written.

One of the most interesting examples is that of ancient Persia, which followed the faith of Zoroaster, or Zarathustra, who spread his faith in Persia about a thousand years before Christ. It set forth the two opposite principles of good and evil, striving for supremacy. The good spirit was called Ormazd and the evil spirit Ahriman. Their functions, apparently like those of every other clearly defined faith, were those of our familiar God and Satan. These two have varied in name and expression throughout the ages, and were always engaged, openly and in their minds and souls, in efforts to overcome each other.

The most obvious examples today, as pointed out by followers of history, are the great wars in progress between the Germans and Japanese and, on the other hand, the Allies who strive to destroy them and restore peace and justice.

For a time the wicked aggressors have prevailed. In Asia and Europe Ahriman has had his way. Now the tide is turning, and Ormazd begins to regain his supremacy. The lights are shining again in long-darkened London. The Satanic Ahriman impersonated by Adolf Hitler is being thrust into outer darkness. And soon the world will blaze with light as it never has before.

Washington at a Glance

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—When Congress comes back after the election recess, one thing almost certain to come up is a move to make the WACS, WAVES, SPARS and women Marines a permanent part of the armed forces with an Annapolis or West Point of their own.

Rep. Eugene Cox (D-Ga.) already has introduced a bill which would pave the way to such a peacetime departure for the armed forces.

Congressman Cox makes no effort to outline the program himself. He seeks to create a commission of 15 members authorized to prepare a comprehensive plan for the establishment, maintenance and operation of a women's military, naval and Coast Guard academy where women would be trained as commissioned officers to serve in those branches of the armed forces.

The commission would be composed of five members appointed by the president of the Senate; five by the Speaker of

the House and five by the President.

Cox specifies that the commission shall report to Congress not later than April 1, 1945, with a suggested location of the academy, length of course, methods of appointment, pay and a suggestion on the important matter of whether the women should be appointed commissioned officers in the regular reserve organizations in the various services.

One important factor in the Cox bill is that if it resulted in a law along the lines set forth, it not only would set up military careers for women, but would be the first unification of the armed forces; a pattern perhaps for the West Point and Annapolis of tomorrow, when prospective officers might spend interchangeable years under a unified command.

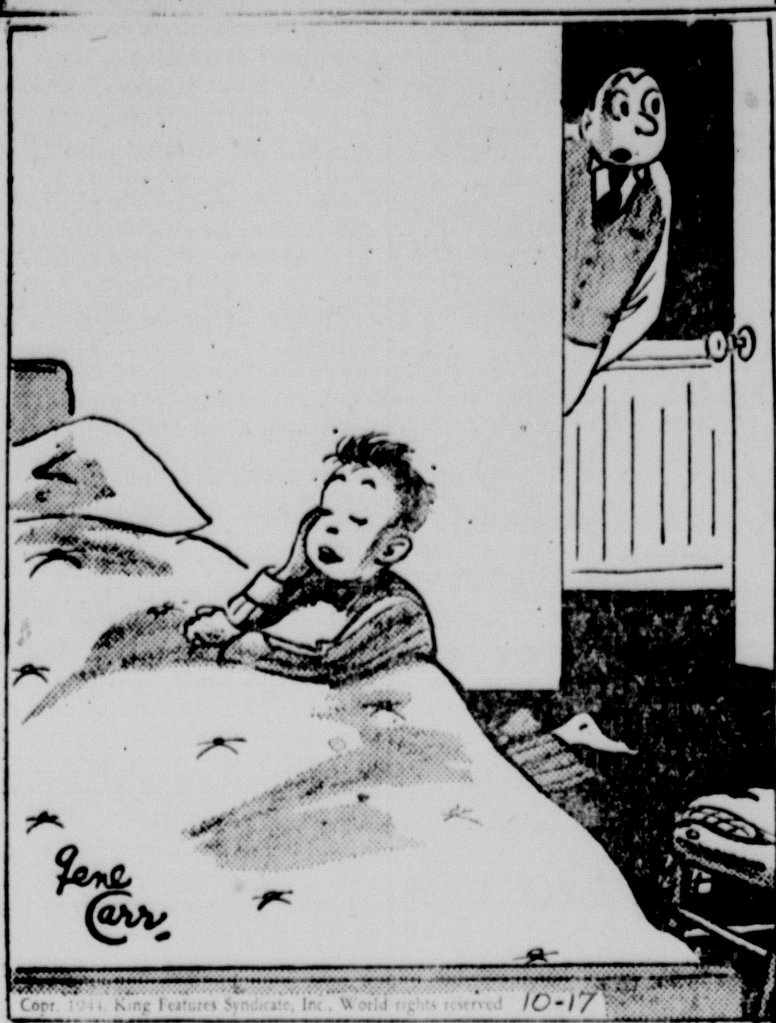
Members of all services have praised the work of various women's corps highly on numerous occasions. Except for a few old diehards who are rapidly

going into the discard as the war progresses, it isn't believed here that any of the services would seek to block a peacetime women's corps.

"We have come to realize in this war," says Rep. Cox, "by reason of the outstanding service rendered by the WACS, WAVES, Marines and SPARS, as well as the Army and Navy nursing corps (who would not be trained at the proposed academy) that women can discharge a great many of the scientific and clerical duties, not to say physical and mechanical duties, that heretofore have kept able-bodied men behind the battle-fronts at home.

"It's idle now even to speculate about whether women have the capacity and equipment for active participation in war. It is already a proven fact," says Cox.

LAFF-A-DAY



Diet and Health

A Common Disease

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

PSORIASIS is a chronic skin disease which is very common. It occurs almost exclusively in adults, who are otherwise in the best of health. In any large skin clinic about five per cent of the patients will be suffering from psoriasis.

Although many people think psoriasis is contagious it is not. There is no danger from coming into contact with people with psoriasis. As far as anybody knows it is hereditary or at least tends to occur in families. What Oliver Wendell Holmes said is applicable here: "We are all omnibuses in which our ancestors ride; every now and then one of them sticks his head out and embarrasses us."

Not that there need be anything embarrassing about psoriasis, although many of its victims seem to think there is. It is unquestionably an unsightly eruption. The sore of psoriasis is usually round or oval, varying from the size of a pea to the size of a coin, even to large patches covering extensive areas of the body. Some of them are ringlike enclosing areas of normal appearing skin. They never form blisters and heal without scarring. Nor does it itch in most instances, nor cause any constitutional disturbance. It disturbs the victim's peace of mind because it is so mysterious and unsightly.

No Permanent Cure

In location it often grows around the nail bed and often causes brittle, scaling nails. Frequently in this location it is mistaken for ringworm, even by doctors.

Everyone who has it wants to know the cure. My mail always contains three or four letters a day from people who think I must be on a secret that their own doctor doesn't know. It is very flattering, but I do not know any secret. The writers of these letters seem to think there must be a method of curing their affliction. It goes away leaving perfectly healthy skin where before there was an eruption. It usually goes away in the summer, and the vic-

tim the first time or two thinks he is rid of it forever, but the next winter there it is sitting on the door step of the victim's peace of mind.

While permanent cure is unrealistic, ideal proper management can make the patient much more comfortable. It appears in an acute and a chronic form. In the chronic form bathing and removal of the scales with a soft, bristled brush is indicated. Applications of medicine to the affected skin areas are usually of an irritating kind and may have to be rubbed in very vigorously.

Sunlight Helpful

Natural sunlight is a good form of treatment. So is salt water bathing, so the person at the seaside has all the advantages. A complete sunbath is curative in the limited sense that it may drive the disease away for several years.

A diet rich in vegetables and low in proteins and fats is beneficial in some cases. Large doses of vitamins, more than that which would under any ordinary circumstances be in the diet have also proved valuable in many instances. Especially used are vitamins A, C and D. Large doses of Vitamin B or thiamine chloride in combination with a low fat diet have helped in preventing recurrences.

All this seems very logical because when one sees a case of psoriasis one instinctively thinks that it must be of nutritional origin—perhaps from the endocrine or ductless glands.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

R. S.:—Is there a permanent cure for a ruptured intervertebral disc causing sciatica?

Answer: In the course of time the condition usually adjusts itself.

J. A. S.:—My son has to have a hydrocele operation and from my friends I was told it has an after effect. Is this true?

Answer: Those kind-hearted, gloom-spreading, know-it-all neighbors! I presume it is your doctor who advised the operation. Do you think he would have done so if he thought there would be bad after effects? Or do you prefer to believe the dreadful warnings of some old fool who never even studied physiology in high school?

Looking Back in Fayette County

Five Years Ago

Money received from state falls short of amount anticipated, officials say, in discussing serious relief problem.

Hallowe'en events to be held at Gardner Park, when contests will climax parade through city.

Men register at armory for YMCA gym class work.

Ten Years Ago

Combined chorus of city churches accept invitation to sing in Circleville.

After Fred Wallace, East Paint Street, made threats against his family, he was arrested and locked up in city jail.

Farm Credit meeting here October 23, expected to draw large crowd.

Fifteen Years Ago

Clarence Browne, 19, city, is near death in a Cincinnati hospital, suffering from injuries sustained in automobile accident.

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SYNOPSIS

Nurses Sarah Keate and Drue Cable arrive at the Brent mansion, located in a small New England town, in response to a call from Dr. Chivory, local medico. To Sarah's surprise, Anna Haub, the Brent maid, states at Drue in frightened recognition and pleads with her not to remain. That, coupled with Drue's unusual anxiety about the condition of their patient, Craig Brent, was the first indication Sarah had that her attractive young friend was acquainted with the Brents. Anna reluctantly takes them to Craig's room. Sarah is telling the story.

CHAPTER TWO

It was a large bedroom, dusky, so the big, canopied four-poster in the middle of it was outlined bulkily against the gray light from the windows along the opposite wall. There was a fireplace with a couch drawn up before it, and the massive shapes of too much and too heavy furniture. Then I saw Drue, and she was kneeling at the side of the bed with her head down.

Anna gave a wavering little sound, a kind of angry moan. She went to a table and turned on the light in a lamp that stood there. Then I could see more clearly; a man lay on the bed, looking very long under the white blanket cover, and Drue had her face on his hand which lay outside.

Anna stepped toward the kneeling, slender figure and said softly, "Oh, you mustn't. If his father finds you here..."

Drue lifted her head. She had flung off her hat, so her light brown hair, brushed upward from her temples and breaking into short curls on the top of her small head, shone softly in the light and looked disheveled, like a child's. Her face was very pale; she looked upward beseechingly at Anna and whispered, "Is he going to die?"

"No, no," cried Anna. "No, please God."

There was a moment of complete silence, with only the fine rain whispering against the windowpanes. Then Drue said, "No, I won't let him die. I'm a nurse. I know what to do..." Her fingers were on his pulse. "Where is the chart? The doctor must have left orders. Give them to me..."

Anna went back to a table, and Drue rose in a swift motion and followed her. I went closer to the bed and stood there looking down at my patient—Craig Brent. He was asleep.

Obviously it was a drugged sleep. I didn't know, then, what was wrong, and I didn't like the dream look in his face, young and lean, with good bones, a rather stern, brown profile, and deeply hollowed eyes. I didn't like his pulse either when I put my fingers lightly on his wrist.

Whatever this man, this house and the people in it meant to Drue, to me then, the main thing was my patient. Drue and the maid had withdrawn with the chart to a curtained doorway which seemed to lead to a dressing room. I followed. It was a small room, with windows along one side and cupboards lining the other; at the other end of it

was another door leading into a bathroom. Drue was reading the doctor's orders intently, and Anna was close beside her, watching Drue's face and knotting her fingers nervously in her apron. Drue was white, and the upward gleam of the light outlined the clean line of her chin and cheekbones, and cast a soft shadow around her eyes. She looked up directly at me with a poignant appeal in her eyes and her mouth. She thrust the tablet into my hands and said to Anna in a whisper that was as chilled and cold as the rain outside.

"At eleven o'clock at night?" murmured Drue. "In the garden?" Anna said nothing. The rain swished gently against the window behind her. It was then perhaps three o'clock in the afternoon, but it seemed later because of the dark day. Finally, Drue said, "Who brought him in? Who found him?" The maid swallowed. "Beevens." "Beevens! And who else?" "Mr. Nicky and Mr. Peter Huber. He's a friend, an old school friend of Mr. Craig's."

"I don't remember him." Drue



I stood there looking down at my patient—Craig Brent.

side. "Anna, who shot him?"

Well, that gave me a real and most unwelcome start; it was the first I'd known of that. They had said at the registry office (or rather, I remembered suddenly, Drue had said when she persuaded me to take the case with her) that there'd been an accident. Not that it was a shooting accident. I don't like shootings. I held the tablet in a hand suddenly gone stiff.

Anna shook her head. "They said accident," she whispered. In fact, our whispers and the dreary day, the silence in the great, thick-walled house and the rain against the windows gave the whole thing a kind of eeriness. Drue's small hands caught Anna's shoulders.

"Anna, you must tell me. What happened?"

"I don't know, Miss Drue. I swear I don't know. They found him in the garden, there by the hedge..."

"In the garden? When?"

"Last night. About eleven. They carried him into the house and sent for the doctor."

"But what did they say? How could there have been an accident?"

"They said he was cleaning a gun," Anna's eyes wavered and

was frowning. "Is he here? Stay-ing in the house?"

"Yes, Miss Drue. He and Mr. Nicky and Beevens heard the shot; they were in the morning room, and Beevens was looking up for the night. Mr. Craig called for help, and they found him—he'd fainted by that time. The doctor was called at once. Mr. Brent—oh, you must go! You can't stay."

Drue paid no attention to the maid's pleading. "Who's been taking care of him? You?"

"Yes, Miss Drue. And Mrs. Chivory. She came right away—as she always does when we need her. She stayed all night. She helped the doctor get the bullet out."

"Bullet..." whispered Drue after a moment and seemed to shiver a little, and I looked at the tablet in my hand.

Drue waited while I read it. I knew she was watching me to see what I thought of what I read there and I knew, too, that she was counting on my skill and experience. That was why she had made me come with her.

(To be continued)

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Boys from Here Met at Red Cross Center

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Robert S. Harper, who began his newspaper career in Washington C. H., is now in the Pacific covering the war against Japan for the Ohio State Journal as an accredited war correspondent assigned to Gen. Douglas MacArthur's command area. His reports are published in the Record-Herald through the courtesy of the Ohio State Journal.)

BY ROBERT S. HARPER

SOMEWHERE IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC—Wherever there is a Red Cross Center, you find hundreds, even thousands, of fighting men. The big red sign welcomes them to a touch of home, a place to eat or sleep, even music and entertainment.

In one large center that I visited, there were large leather-bound books in which boys signed their names in the order of their home states.

One such book of names of Columbus and central Ohioans who had recently visited that center. Some of the boys gave their street addresses, some didn't. The following list is typical, all from Columbus.

Robert V. Snyder, Jack Incho of 2374 Joyce Ave. in Linden, Willard Roy Stickel, jr., Clayton Collins, Charlotte E. Gav (WAC), John T. Shea of Eureka Ave., Werner Uhlig of 140 E. Kossuth St. (South 39), Larry O. Hall, Bob Nader of the "west side," and Thurman Galford of 1265 1-2 Dennison Avenue.

On the list also was Dana L. Aleshire of Worthington.

Central Ohioans were well represented. They included:

Ernest Dale of Mt. Sterling, Arthur R. Lump of Chillicothe, Paul E. Ampsbaugh of Lancaster, Wil-

liam V. Villers of Wilmington, William M. Harper of Zanesville, Charles Gray of Chillicothe, William H. Hughes of Chillicothe and Howard H. Pinkerton of the same Ross County seat.

J. M. Browne of Newark, John L. Parks of Newark, Harold L. Kern of 484 Cherry Street, Marion, William A. Sexton of Chillicothe, George A. Cottrill of Chillicothe, E. D. Robinson of Groveport, Paul Dickson of Lancaster, Fred L. Miller of Greenfield, Ted Rush of Bucyrus, Allen B. Smith of Circleville, Loren C. Wain of Washington C. H., H. E. West of Washington C. H., and Jack H. Stratton, jr., of Marysville.



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at the many large and small tables attractively arranged throughout the spacious club lounge, where numerous bowls of garden flowers were greatly admired. Centering each table were watergarden arrangements of vari-colored fall blooms, their glowing colors being the keynote of the decorative theme used by the hosts and hostesses.

A most delicious and appetizingly-prepared three-course dinner was served, and the dinner hour was one of prolonged pleasures and gaiety for the guests who welcomed the opportunity to visit with the honored guests.

Capt. Ottinger regaled the guests with tales brought from the China-India-Burma theater of war, following the dinner hour, which was most entertaining to the interested guests.

Mr. Simons was in charge of awarding the door prizes which went to Mrs. L. F. Everhart, for the women, and to Mr. Stanley Schneider for the men.

As the guests departed late in the evening, they expressed their appreciation to the hosts and hostesses for a most delightful and unusual evening.

Crusaders Meet At Butters Home Monday Evening

Miss Gloria Butters and Miss Jane Cummings combined hospitalities Monday evening when they entertained members of the Crusaders Class of the Church of Christ for its monthly business meeting.

The Butters home, the scene of the party, was cleverly decorated with suggestions of Halloween. A lighted pumpkin face greeted the guests as they arrived and a tall corn stalk had been placed at the door, adding to the artistic decorations. Inside, black and orange crepe paper streamers were hung attractively on the mantel and other suggestions of Halloween were used throughout the home, carrying out the seasonal motif.

Miss Christine Switzer led in devotionals and Miss Mary Jane Hyer, class president, conducted the lengthy business meeting. A shower was planned to be held on the Cleveland Christian Home.

The class has made plans to send gifts of clothing and other articles to one of the girls in the Home, at different times. A clever contest was promoted with Miss Sarah Reeves winning the attractive prize. Tempting and colorful refreshments were served, bringing the most enjoyable evening to a close. The next meeting will be election of officers.

Guest Speaker at Browning Club. "Living Religions of the World" will be the topic taken by Rev. John K. Abernethy, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church when he appears Tuesday evening, before members of the Browning Club, as guest speaker.

The president, Mrs. A. B. Murray, is asking all to assemble promptly at seven-thirty o'clock.

Social Calendar

ROSEMARY DENNISON
Society Editor
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TUESDAY, OCT. 17
Cherry Hill P-TA, at school building, 7:30 P.M.

Yatesville P-TA, at school-building, bring pie and doughnuts, 8 P. M.

Central P-TA, meets in Little Theater, 7:30 P.M.

World Service Guild, home of Mrs. Harold Slagle, 7:30 P.M. Assisting hostesses, Mrs. Ormand Dewey and Miss Clara Davis.

Ladies Aid, Church of Christ with Mrs. R. B. Carver, E. Temple Street, 7:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18
Alpha Circle (C.C.L.), chili supper, home of Mrs. W. W. Humphries, 1003 Washington Avenue, 7 P.M. Assisting hostess, Mrs. Richard Waters. Benefit bridge and anagram, D.A.R., at Dayton Power and Light clubrooms, 7:30 P.M.

THURSDAY, OCT. 19
Jeffersonville P-TA, first meeting at high school, 8 P. M. Social session.

McNair Missionary Society, home of Mrs. Oscar Young, 7:30 P.M.

Sugar Grove WSCS, home of Mrs. Ella Merritt, 8 P.M.

Conner Farm Women's Club, home of Mrs. Harold Mark, Miami-Trace road, 1:30 P.M. (slow time).

Fortnightly luncheon-bridge at Country Club, chairman; Mrs. Hoy Simons, Mrs. L. C. Coffman, Mrs. Hazel Smathers and Mrs. Walter Craig, 1 P. M.

North Street Church of Christ Choir, Halloween party, home of Mrs. Paul Thornhill, 6:15 P.M.

Fayette Grange, at Eber school, potluck supper and regular business meeting, 6:30 P.M.

Woman's Missionary Society, First Baptist Church, church home, 2:30 P.M.

FRIDAY, OCT. 20

Homebuilder's Class, Madison Mills Methodist Church, chili supper, school building, 5 P.M.

Loyal Friends Class, South Side Church of Christ, home of Misses Iona and Iva Stoughton, Lakeview Avenue, 8 P.M.

Eber P-TA, at school-building, business meeting and program, 8 P. M.

Bloomington WCTU, home of Mrs. Mary Reif, 2 P.M.

Golden Rule Class Of Good Hope Has October Meeting

The October meeting of the Golden Rule Sunday School Class of the Good Hope Methodist Church was held at the home of Mrs. Frank Zurfice, and attended by fifteen members.

Mrs. Jack Hoppes, the president, opened the meeting and devotionals were given by Mrs. Betty Whaley.

Refreshments suggestive of Halloween were served at the close of the business meeting. Mrs. Zurfice being assisted by Miss Helen Zurfice and Miss Ruth Cardiff.

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Beverly Suzanne Miller

The adorable tot pictured above, Beverly Suzanne Miller, and her mother, Mrs. William C. Miller, Jr. (nee Fern Wilson) are making their home for the duration with Beverly's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wilson of the Greenfield Road.

Beverly, a very attractive youngster with blonde hair and brown eyes, will celebrate her eighteenth-month birthday with her grandparents' and her mother, on October thirtieth.

Her father, Lt. Miller, is a P-51 fighter pilot with the Eighth Air Force, stationed in England.

She is the only grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller of Briar Avenue, her paternal grandparents.

Norma Dodd Is Hostess to Guild Members

A general discussion of business was conducted by Mrs. Pauline Levensen, president, when members of the Wesleyan Service Guild of Grace Methodist Church assembled at the home of Miss Norma Dodd, Monday evening, for the regular business meeting and social hour.

Various reports were given and some time was spent discussing topics taken up at the last district meeting. Mrs. Ethyl McElwain gave the devotionals, after which Mrs. Urcel Hays had the lesson study.

The topic of the lesson was "The Call and the Answer," the subject being concerned with India.

During the social hour that followed refreshments were served by the hostess, who was assisted by Mrs. Fred Enslin, Mrs. Carrie Lucas, Mrs. Emma Montgomery, Mrs. Urcel Hays and Miss Frances Meriweather.

WSCS Circles Will Meet

It was announced today that Circles 10 and 14 of Grace Methodist Church will meet Wednesday under the combined leadership of Miss Beulah Elliott and Mrs. Artie Campbell, at the home of Mrs. Estella Scott and Mrs. Edith Scott, at 2 P.M.

Personals

Mrs. Chloe C. Ashley returned Monday from Indianapolis, Ind., where she was a houseguest of Mrs. E. Howard Cadie for a week. She was accompanied here by her daughter, Mrs. Charles McCoy, who joined her in Indianapolis, on Thursday of last week.

Miss Jane Landrum has returned to Capitol University, Columbus, after a short visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Landrum.

Mrs. Ralph Penn has returned from Cleveland where she visited for a month with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Shaw, Mr. Shaw and small daughter, Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubin Hedges and children of Hillsboro, were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Emma Jackson.

Mrs. Edward Frederick and infant son, Terry, have left by plane for Nashville, Tenn., to join Staff Sgt. Frederick, who is stationed near Smyrna, Tenn., in the air corps.

Mrs. C. L. Musser and son, Jimmy, former residents of this city, are now residing in Seattle, Washington, where Seaman first class C. L. Musser is stationed with the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Spruance were Sunday guests of Mr. Spruance's mother, Mrs. Mary Spruance in Marshall, and were guests that evening of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Wilkins of Hillsboro.

Mr. John MacIver and Mr. Robert Craig returned Monday from New York City, where they spent a week in the interests of Craig Bros.

Capt. and Mrs. Ted V. Ottinger have arrived here to spend several days at the home of Mr.

Wert Shoop, coming from near Indianapolis, Ind., where Mrs. Ottinger has been residing while Capt. Ottinger has been serving overseas in the China-India-Burma theater of war.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waddell of Greenfield, visited relatives and friends here during the weekend.

Mr. Walter Kaneski of Dayton was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon V. Tool.

Mrs. Ethel Taylor of Cleveland is the houseguest this week of Mrs. T. W. McFadden.

Returned Soldier Honored
Mr. and Mrs. Percy Shaffer of Leesburg Avenue, honored their son, Tech-Sgt. Deward B. Shaffer, who recently returned here after spending 15 months with the U. S. Army in the Aleutian Islands, taking part in the invasions of Attu and Kiska in the North Pacific.

The affair was planned as a potluck supper to which many relatives and friends were invited.

Tech. Sgt. Shaffer will return to Camp Swift, Texas, on October 20.

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Oddities Spice High School Football Markets and Finance

COLUMBUS, Oct. 17.—(AP)—A barefoot placekicker and a 12-man team added a lot of spice to Ohio's high school football show last week.

The barefoot player showed up in Mt. Blanchard's 58 to 0 victory over Arlington. Fifteen-year-old Ted Himes, a sophomore end who weighs only 118 pounds, kicked three out of four tries for extra points and did it without either shoes or socks. He had told his coach, Howard Yawberg, that he just couldn't placekick with his shoes on.

"I get a better feel of things with 'em off," he said.

The 12th man incident occurred as Youngstown Ursuline whipped Sciencetown, 21 to 0. Halfback Lou Sequella of Ursuline was in the clear and running for a touchdown when Jolles (Chick) Welcher of Sciencetown, ready to go into the game, dashed off the bench and tackled the runner. Referee Bruce Hamm awarded the touchdown to Ursuline.

One of the week's most impressive showings by an unbeaten and untied team was that of Youngstown East. Despite the loss of five players to the armed forces, East romped to a 27-0 triumph over Youngstown Chaney.

Cleveland Cathedral Latin, which has been rolling up top-heavy scores on most of its foes, chalked up another victory but it was by only a 19-0 count over Cleveland Holy Name. More than 21,000 fans saw the game.

Middletown, Lorain, Lakewood, Toledo, Liberty, Columbus North and Mansfield, were other major undefeated teams which in-

3 Unbeaten Bowling Teams In API Keep Slates Clean

The trio of unbeaten teams in the API men's league today is still unbeaten after the Office, Engineers and Tappets team made a clean sweep of their matches Monday night.

The Office keggers had no trouble at all snatching three games from the Top Hats who haven't won a game this year. Jacobs was high man for the Office boys with a total score of 540. His 211 in the second game was the highest score turned in by any other bowler on the eight teams.

It was almost an echo of the Office-Top Hat match when the Engineers and the Pushers met. The Engineers romped through easily despite the fact they were handicapped by one blind bowler. They piled up 2020 pins to the Pushers' 1682 to take all three games.

The Tappets romped through their three games with the Inspection quintet with a minimum of effort. Their smallest win margin was 32 pins in the first contest. The last two were easy going for the Tappets, however, and they wrapped up the match in nearly 300 pins.

Only one match Monday night was not a one-sided affair. The Production Control team took the last two games from the Foremen in the closest tilt turned in. The Foremen were only two pins behind the Production Control when the scores were tallied.

Office 2 3 T
Inspection 122 129 107 358
Tappets 112 129 126 367
Engineers 104 112 124 340
Top Hats 98 108 110 316
Pushers 88 108 110 306
Foremen 88 108 110 306
Total 608 610 566 1784

Top Hats 2 3 T
Lucas 98 104 145 347
Deafner 98 104 145 347
Perry (Blind) 98 104 145 347
Chase (Blind) 98 104 145 347
Bennett (Blind) 98 104 145 347
Total 596 596 596 1738

Engineers 2 3 T
McLean 118 129 141 428
Vince 118 129 141 428
Somers 118 129 141 428
Bowman (Blind) 118 129 141 428
Wiseup 118 129 141 428
Total 658 726 636 2020

Pushers 2 3 T
Krisley 118 129 141 428
Hoppes 118 129 141 428
C. Cochran 118 129 141 428
Edwards 118 129 141 428
Total 590 594 538 1682

Production Control 1 2 3 T
E. Arnold 101 160 115 376
H. Gander 101 160 115 376
Somers 101 160 115 376
E. E. E. 101 160 115 376
R. Woodland 101 160 115 376
G. Wingard 101 160 115 376
Total 587 694 630 1911

Foremen 1 2 3 T
H. Mosher 114 125 125 364
H. Brown 114 125 125 364
C. Denney 114 125 125 364
N. R. R. 114 125 125 364
B. James 114 125 125 364
Total 700 664 545 1909

-Spying- On Sports By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Tuesday PM quarterback: From the looks of Saturday's scores, Army and Notre Dame will come up to their annual tussle without knowing how good they are. The big scores so far don't prove whether they're so good or the opposition so bad. And how about Washington with 247 points in four games—and then comes Southern California? Navy's coaches must feel like the guys who normally inhabit such football hotspots as Columbus, Ohio, or Baton Rouge, La., during the Huey Long regime. Before every season the fans told them they had a world-beater team and they'd better watch out if they lost even one game.

Quote, Unquote
Milt Piepul, Dartmouth backfield coach, after that Notre Dame rout: "I didn't even get very wet in spite of the rain. Those Notre Dame backs went by so fast the wind dried off my clothes."

Shorts and Shells
Manager Bill McKeechie of the Reds and Bill Riden were teammates on five different clubs—Canton (Ohio and Penn League) in 1908, Boston (National) spring of 1913; Indianapolis (Federal) 1914, Newark (Federal) 1915 and New York (National) 1916.

Service Dept.
Although Lee Artoe, ex-Chicago Bears tackle, had just returned from two years in the Pacific when he played the first game for the Fort Pierce, Fla., Navy amphibious base this fall, he still was able to kick off once so that the ball hit one of the goal uprights near the top. Sgt. Clarence (Hooks) Iott struck out 240 men out of a total of 404 fanned by the mound staff of the Kearns, Utah, overseas replacement depot during the past season.

FHA Launches 14 Week Series

The Future Homemakers of America, a national organization, launched a 14-week series of contests at the bowling alleys Monday night.

Captains Charlene Hatfield for the Sky Rockets and Martha Evans for the Lions were chosen on the basis of scores in the first evening's bowling.

The two teams broke even Monday night with each group of girls tallying one win beside their team's name.

Sky Rockets 1 2 T
Hatfield 112 112 224
Hodson 93 121 214
Rivers 104 110 214
Mann 82 87 169
Total 391 431 822

Lions 1 2 T
Giles 95 107 202
Hard 112 110 222
Evans 123 86 209
Chaney 89 71 160
Total 411 374 785

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HOT RACE BRINGS OUT AL CROWDS

By CHARLES DUNKLEY

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—(AP)—The American League, offering one of the most spectacular pennant battles in major league history, drew a 1944 paid attendance of 4,798,158—approaching the circuit record and topping last year's total by more than a million fans.

President William Harridge, announcing attendance figures today, emphasized that the official total did not include 197,075 fans who attended war relief games which made an actual paid attendance of 4,995,233. The league record is 5,433,791 for the 1940 season.

Last year's official attendance was 3,695,569, or 1,101,589 fewer than whirled the turnstile in the recently closed campaign which produced a four-club race down to the final week. The 1943 attendance, including war relief games, was 3,849,286.

Harridge pointed out that 1944 attendance also included 508,491 servicemen admitted free as guests of the clubs.

The Detroit Tigers, who were edged out of the championship by the St. Louis Browns on the final day of the season, finished with an amazing home attendance of 923,176 to set the pace in the 1943 season and surpass their 1943 following by approximately 300,000 fans.

Attendance at American League parks topped National League figures by 619,414, figures released by President Ford Frick of the Senior Loop disclosed. Both Detroit Tigers and New York Yankees topped the New York Giants, the National League leader, in the number of fans paying to see the majors play.

Comparative attendance figures, exclusive of war relief games:

Club	1944	1943
Detroit	923,176	606,287
New York	789,995	618,330
Chicago	563,539	508,962
Washington	525,235	574,694
St. Louis	508,644	214,392
Boston	506,975	358,275
Philadelphia	505,322	376,735
Cleveland	475,272	438,894

Notre Dame First And OSU Fourth In Football Poll

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—(AP)—It's Notre Dame again. For the 12th straight week, including ten weeks from last year, the Irish have been voted the nation's No. 1 college football team.

The unbeaten and untied South Benders, who last week snowed Dartmouth under a 64-0 score, polled a total of 973 points from 107 sportswriters in yesterday's Associated Press weekly poll, the second of the season. The Irish were ranked first on 59 1-3 of the 107 ballots.

Army and Randolph Field, both undefeated and untied, moved up a notch to second and third place, respectively, as a 13-13 deadlock with Virginia tumbled the North Carolina Pre-Flighters from second to tenth.

Army polled a total of 862 points, including 11 1-3 first

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(10 o'clock)

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COWS

One roan cow, 7 years old, to freshen in spring; 1 Guernsey cow, 5 years old, to freshen in spring; 1 roan cow, 6 years old, to freshen in spring; 1 Guernsey cow, 8 years old, to freshen in spring; 2 Guernsey heifers, been fresh once; 1 Guernsey heifer and calf by side; 1 Jersey heifer, to freshen in spring; 1 white heifer, to freshen in spring; these cows are giving a good flow of milk now; 1 red yearling bull.

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GRAIN MARKET NEWS SUMMARY

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Grain futures markets were strong today, with wheat advancing sharply, carrying wheat, corn and oats with it.

Buying of virtually all rye contracts by one of the leading Commission Houses, attracted scattered additional buying, with light offerings.

Limited offerings of wheat also brought an upturn when Commission Houses absorbed them. Rye was up 2 cents over Monday's close toward the end of the trading.

Corn developed considerable strength, the December contract being bought actively by several Commission Houses supported by local traders. Selling was liberal on the advance.

The oats market was higher in sympathy with other grains, much of the demand coming from local shorts.

The strength of rye was attributed to the belief by traders that it would be used by alcohol distillers during the prospective liquor making holiday during December. The movement of rye from the northwest has not been as heavy as traders expected and there was some concern that some of the crop might remain in the fields.

At the close wheat was up $\frac{3}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$, December $\$1.64\frac{1}{2}$. Corn was up $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$, December $\$1.58\frac{1}{2}$. Oats were $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ higher, December $\$1.10\frac{1}{2}$. Rye was up $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$, December $\$1.10\frac{1}{2}$. Barley was up $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$.

GRAIN CLOSE

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—(AP)—Wheat—Dec. $\$1.64\frac{1}{2}$; May $\$1.59\frac{1}{2}$. Corn—Dec. $\$1.58\frac{1}{2}$; May $\$1.53\frac{1}{2}$. Oats—Dec. $\$1.10\frac{1}{2}$; May $\$1.07\frac{1}{2}$. Rye—Dec. $\$1.10\frac{1}{2}$; May $\$1.07\frac{1}{2}$. Barley—Dec. $\$1.04\frac{1}{2}$; May $\$1.01\frac{1}{2}$.

CASH GRAIN

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—(AP)—No cash wheat sales.

No corn.

No oats.

Barley: malting $\$1.15$ to $\$1.37\frac{1}{2}$ nominal; feed $\$5$ to $\$1.10$ nominal.

Soybeans: No. 2 yellow $\$2.10$ nominal.

BUCKS LEAD PARADE IN MIDWEST

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—(AP)—Michigan and Indiana may be out of the Western Conference football title race, but they apparently will have something to say about the ultimate championship.

Both have been beaten—the Wolverines, 1943 co-champions, by Indiana, and the Hoosiers by Illinois. But both still have dates with the current conference leaders, Purdue and Ohio State.

Ohio State's Buckeyes kept their conference slate clean last week when they beat Wisconsin, previously unbeaten in circuit play, 20 to 7. Meanwhile, co-champion Purdue dropped a non-league game to Iowa Pre-Flight, 13-6.

The Buckeyes and Boilermakers don't meet this year, and that's where both Michigan and Indiana loom as possible giant-killers. The Hoosiers play both current leaders—Ohio State November 4 and Purdue November 25. And Michigan has dates with both—the Boilermakers October 28 and the Buckeyes November 25.

Either Michigan, or Indiana, on their records appear to have the potential power to knock off either leader, and by so doing would probably throw the entire conference picture into a wild melee.

The Illini, beaten by Purdue a week previous, jumped back into the picture last Saturday when they beat Iowa, 40 to 6.

Michigan, beaten earlier by Indiana, rolled over Northwestern for its second conference victory, 27-0.

Those were the only Western Conference games, but the other loop members weren't idle. Indiana swamped Nebraska 54-0, and Minnesota outlasted Missouri, 39-27.

Other midwestern teams came up with victories, too. Notre Dame's Ramblers invaded the East to smother Dartmouth, 64-0, and Great Lakes naval trainees beat Western Michigan, 38-0.

Western Conference standings:

Teams	W	L	T	Pts.	Op.
Ohio State	2	0	0	54	7
Purdue	1	0	0	35	19
Michigan	2	1	0	55	33
Illinois	2	1	0	85	59
Wisconsin	1	1	0	14	26
Indiana	1	1	0	38	26
Minnesota	0	1	0	13	28
Northwestern	0	2	0	6	34
Iowa	0	2	0	6	74

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ASSETS

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United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed $142,600.00$

Obligations of States and political subdivisions 250.00

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection $207,222.03$

Bank premises owned $\$2500$, furniture and fixtures none $2,500.00$

Other assets 57.79

TOTAL ASSETS $\$378,443.87$

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations $\$224,453.57$

Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations $54,766.57$

Deposits of States and political subdivisions $56,396.01$

TOTAL DEPOSITS $\$335,616.15$

Other liabilities (including none Deposits Hypothecated under Section 710-180 G. C.) 104.75

TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) $\$335,720.90$

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital $\$25,000.00$

Surplus $11,000.00$

Undivided profits $6,722.97$

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS $\$42,722.97$

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL $\$378,443.87$

*This bank's capital consists of none of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of none, total retireable value none; second preferred stock with total par value of none, total retireable value none; and common stock with total par value of $\$25,000.00$.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value) $\$36,000.00$

(e) **TOTAL** $\$36,000.00$

Secured and preferred liabilities

(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law $41,981.46$

(e) **TOTAL** $\$41,981.46$

STATE OF OHIO, COUNTY OF FAYETTE, ss:

I, Effie Palmer, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest: RALPH A. BRADEN, WASH LOUGH, RUBY FOUNTAIN, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of October, 1944.

ROScoe FOSTER, Notary Public.

My Commission Expires April 26, 1947.

LOCAL MARKETS

GRAIN

Wheat $\$1.59$

Barley $\$1.04$

Corn, yellow $\$1.58$

BUTTER - EGGS - POULTRY

Cream $\$1.75$

Eggs $\$1.10$

Heavy hens $\$1.10$

Leghorn hens $\$1.10$

Roosters $\$1.10$

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

(Fayette Stock Yards)

Hogs—WASHINGTON C. H., Oct. 17.—160-240 lbs. $\$14.00$; 240-400 lbs. $\$13.85$; 400-600 lbs. $\$13.70$; 600-800 lbs. $\$13.55$; 800-1000 lbs. $\$13.40$; 1000-1200 lbs. $\$13.25$; 1200-1400 lbs. $\$13.10$; 1400-1600 lbs. $\$12.95$; 1600-1800 lbs. $\$12.80$; 1800-2000 lbs. $\$12.65$; 2000-2200 lbs. $\$12.50$; 2200-2400 lbs. $\$12.35$; 2400-2600 lbs. $\$12.20$; 2600-2800 lbs. $\$12.05$; 2800-3000 lbs. $\$11.90$; 3000-3200 lbs. $\$11.75$; 3200-3400 lbs. $\$11.60$; 3400-3600 lbs. $\$11.45$; 3600-3800 lbs. $\$11.30$; 3800-4000 lbs. $\$11.15$; 4000-4200 lbs. $\$11.00$; 4200-4400 lbs. $\$10.85$; 4400-4600 lbs. $\$10.70$; 4600-4800 lbs. $\$10.55$; 4800-5000 lbs. $\$10.40$; 5000-5200 lbs. $\$10.25$; 5200-5400 lbs. $\$10.10$; 5400-5600 lbs. $\$9.95$; 5600-5800 lbs. $\$9.80$; 5800-6000 lbs. $\$9.65$; 6000-6200 lbs. $\$9.50$; 6200-6400 lbs. $\$9.35$; 6400-6600 lbs. $\$9.20$; 6600-6800 lbs. $\$9.05$; 6800-7000 lbs. $\$8.90$; 7000-7200 lbs. $\$8.75$; 7200-7400 lbs. $\$8.60$; 7400-7600 lbs. $\$8.45$; 7600-7800 lbs. $\$8.30$; 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Classifieds—Phone 22121

Classified Ads received by 10 A. M. (Slow Time) will be published the same day. Saturdays 9 A. M.

RATES—First insertion, two cents per word, minimum 25 cents; One cent per word each additional consecutive insertion.

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Obituary

RATES—Six cents per line first 30; 10 cents per line for next 15; 15 cents per line for each additional line.

Card of Thanks

Card of Thanks are charged at the rate of six cents per line.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements

NOTICE

If your name appears alone among the classified ads, bring it to the office of this newspaper and you will receive a guest ticket. See ad on market page.

Lost—Found—Strayed

LOST—"A" gas coupons, license No. 473KS, GLEN WILLIAMS, Jeffersonville, R. I. 1.

ROBERT HUFF

LOST—Gold bracelet with three green and yellow stones. FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

LOST—At Loudner drive, brown Alligator purse containing picture and billfold, API badge with picture, No. 5-669. If found return to 514 East Market Street, Washington C. H., 1.

Special Notices

NOW IS THE TIME to call and worm treat your chickens and save feed Call 23561.

REVIVAL MEETING

at
HOUSE OF PRAYER
Beginning
October 22nd
GLENN WILLIAMS,
Pastor
Jeffersonville, Ohio

Wanted To Buy

WANTED—Electric hand irons in good condition, urgent need. MARY LAUNDRY, Phone 5201.

Wanted To Rent

WANTED TO RENT—In Washington C. H. or Mt. Sterling, house with modern conveniences, Bloomington 2272.

WANTED TO RENT—75 to 100 acre farm near Washington C. H. Write Box A. R., care Record-Herald.

Wanted Miscellaneous

WANTED—Small babies to care for. Inquire near 618 GIBBS Ave., city.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles for Sale

FOR SALE—1938 Model A Ford, two-door. See CHARLES JOHNSON, Bloomington, Ohio.

FOR SALE—1938 Ford coach, good condition, will trade for pickup truck, house trailer or 4 or 5 rooms of furniture. 822 East Temple Street. Phone 22544.

USED CARS

1940 Chevrolet Master Deluxe 4 door

1937 Ford 60, 2 door

1938 Chevrolet Convertible Coupe

1930 Model A Ford Coupe

1939 Plymouth, 4 door

Call 3241

New Holland

Tires and Accessories

BUSINESS

Business Service

HARDIN and MUMMA auctioneers. Phone 1247—W. Xenia, Ohio.

MABEL JOHNSON

J. B. SMITH, South Solon, Phone 3556, and ASA FANNIN, Jeffersonville, Ohio—Auctioneers. We sell for less.

AUCTIONEER

W. O. BUMGARDNER, Phone 4501 or evenings 26794.

PIANO Tuner—H. C. FORTIER. Phone evenings 4781.

INSULATE NOW

Our complete service gives you - - -

Fuel Savings

Better Heating

Summer Comfort

Let us prove this by figuring your needs.

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C. R. WEBB

Miscellaneous Service

SEE US for welding. H. H. DENTON, McCormick-Deering Dealer.

Repair Service

RADIOS REPAIRED, quick service at 122-124 North Fayette St. Phone 5311.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted

WANTED—Sales clerk, man or woman, permanent position. CARPENTER'S HARDWARE.

WANTED—Woman at Mark Laundry, are no bar to employment.

Situations Wanted

WANTED—Used French doors, 7 ft. 6 in x 2 ft. 6 in. Box W. F., care Record-Herald.

WANTED—Custom corn picking near Millersville or Plymouth preferred. For further information call Millersville 3256. E. T. WHITESIDE and SONS.

CLARK LEETH

WANTED—Cesspool and vault cleaning. Also wells and cisterns, power equipment. Call 2584.

FARM PRODUCTS

Farm Implements

FOR SALE—Allis-Chalmers combine, ANCL. CREAMER, Jeffersonville, phone 2971.

FOR SALE—1940 Oliver combine, McCormick-Deering corn binder, MRS. STEPHEN HALL, Call 2628.

FOR SALE—One 5-roll Appleton corn shredder, good condition. Call 2241, New Holland.

Hay-Grain-Feed

FOR SALE—Baled soybean hay, Phone 20295.

Livestock For Sale

FOR SALE—Sow and nine pigs, all treated. ORLEY VARNER, North North Street.

HOUSES AND CATTLE for sale, team of big mated Percheron mares in foal to a big Spanish Jack, beside some good odd dairy mares, three yearling bulls and dairy bred springer heifers. OS T. BRIGGS, Arlington Hotel.

FOR SALE—Team work horses. Phone 1100, Leesburg.

FOR SALE—A team of horses, registered milking Shorthorn cattle, purebred white Collier pups. Phone 2047.

FOR SALE—Registered Shropshire rams and bred ewes, Lemons and Gibson breeding. ROY C. DAVIS and SONS, Highland, Ohio, Route 1.

FOR SALE—3 grade A Angus heifers, bred. WILLIAM BLACKMORE, 1 1/2 mile out Jamestown Pike. Phone 25053.

FOR SALE—Dairy cows, Jerseys, Guernseys, Holsteins, and Shorthorns. Phone J. RANKIN PAUL, 23321.

DUROC MALE hogs, HOMER H. WILSON, phone Bloomingburg 2602.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs and gilts, double immunized and eligible for registration. ELMER T. HUGHSON.

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey hogs and gilts, double immunized and eligible for registration. CHAS. MILLER, phone 3552, New Holland.

FOR SALE—Registered Hereford bulls, 12 to 18 months of age. Priced from \$125 to \$200. BEA-MAI FARMS.

FOR SALE—Hampshire hogs and gilts. GENE McLEAN, Millersville, phone 2631.

FOR SALE—Hampshire hogs. Phone 32324. W. A. MELVIN.

FEW POLAND CHINA MALE HOGS

Feeder Type

Call 3496 Bloomingburg

WALTER GORMAN

Poultry-Eggs-Supplies

Poultry Equipment Clearance

Prices sharply reduced. Quantities limited. Buy Now!

5 foot feeder, was \$1.95, now \$1.49. 500 chick brooder, was \$2.60, now \$1.85. 5 gallon waterer, was \$1.49, now \$1.19.

Buy now for next season. Use Wards Convenient Monthly Payment Plan

MONTGOMERY WARD

MISCELLANEOUS

Birds-Cats-Dogs-Pets

FOR SALE—Irish setter pups. HUGHIE BACKENSTOE, Dayton Road.

Good Things To Eat

FOR SALE—Pears at Theobald Orchard on Leesburg Pike, U. S. 62. Bring containers. FRANKLIN COIL, phone 20344.

Household Goods

FOR SALE—Buffet, good as new. MRS. BERTS THORNTON, Rt. 1, Washington C. H., near Madras Mills.

ARTHUR LELAND

FOR SALE—Gas range, good condition, reasonable. Write Box 5, care Record-Herald.

Miscellaneous For Sale

FOR SALE—Dining room suite, child's car seat and swing, pre-war Taylor Tot, 823 East Temple Street.

MR. and MRS. MOTH LARVA moved into Joe Doak's new suit recently. They're doomed to starvation since the suit was sprayed with Arab stainless mothproof, effective 2 whole years regardless of dry cleaning.

FOR SALE—Girls all wool winter coat and leggings, size 6. 421 East Market Street.

FOR SALE—White table top Kalamazoo range, pre-war, excellent condition. 720 Peabody Ave.

FOR SALE—1935 Harley-Davidson motorcycle, model 74. Phone 31271.

MODERN LOW COST SHOWER STALL AT WARDS

Small-space design with all fittings and curtain

\$42.00

MONTGOMERY WARD

RENTALS

Apartments for Rent

2 ROOMS, bath, electric washer. Phone 7411.

Rooms for Rent

FOR RENT—A sleeping room in a modern home, for one person. Phone 23861.

Houses for Rent

FURNISHED house suitable for two couples. Phone evenings 22825.

REAL ESTATE

Business Property

SEE ANDY GIDDING for farms or city property. 114 West Market Street. Phone 4731.

Farms For Sale

FOR SALE—Alley Egg Farm, 166 acres, level to rolling, ideal poultry or turkey farm. In wheat, clover, lespedeza, blue grass, timber. Abundant water supply, electricity, school bus, mail egg auction route, near church, store, New modern 2 1/2 story dwelling, full basement, furnace, running water, double garage, good 5-room dwelling, water in kitchen, double garage, modern 2 1/2 story barn, driveway, double crib, granary, 24x38 ft. hatchery, modern 24x37 ft. two-story insulated poultry house, 6x25 ft. poultry house, 18x60 ft. brooder house, running water, tool shed, other outbuildings. One 5000 egg incubator, 4-floor brooder, 2 chick batteries included. \$12,000. cash. JOHN S. ALLEY, Lucasville, Ohio, Route 3.

WE HAVE 35 Fayette, Pickaway County farms for sale, ranging from 25 to 400 acres. MAC DEWS, phone 9781, 132 1/2 East Court Street.

Houses For Sale

FOR SALE—2 lots, 2 room house in good condition, water and electricity. First house off North Street on Peitcord Ave, phone 26523.

MODERN six-room bungalow, 1 floor plan, 2 bedrooms, new asphalt roof and furnace, modern bath room and fixtures, kitchen equipped with metal sink and cabinets, side drive and garage, 100 ft. lot, also extra 100 ft. lot. Residence of the late Ella Taylor, located West Main Street, Leesburg, Ohio, immediately possession. For inspection obtain key at S. S. JOHNSON'S Leesburg, Ohio.

FOR SALE—8 room house, 2 acres ground, electric, 6 room house, 1 1/2 acres ground, electric, 100 ft. lot, good land and buildings, electric, 65 acres, mostly level land, good six room house, cellar, bath and other buildings on good road, electric, priced to sell exclusive listing. G. A. HANDLEY, 708 East Temple Street, Washington C. H., Ohio.

PUBLIC SALES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19
WALTER M. COY and SON—Spotted Poland China Boar and Gilt Sale. Baker and Bumgarner, auctioneers.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20
WILL E. SEXTON—A Closing Out Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment at the Farm, 4 miles north of New Holland, 2 1/2 miles northeast of Johnson Crossing on the Cook Road 1 P. M.

M. W. Eckle, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21
EARL HARPER and SON and J. A. PUTTLE and SON—Poland China Sale, Fayette County Fair Grounds, Washington C. H.

Joe Frank and W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneers.

PRODUCERS STOCK YARDS—Sheep Sale, 1250 head of ewes, rams, at the yards. 1 P. M.

John Baker, auctioneer.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23
PARSHALL and GALL—Sale of Dairy Cows and Heifers, 7 miles east of Hillsboro, 2 miles west of Rays, and 1 1/2 mile north of Route 50 on the Stringtown Pike, 1 o'clock.

J. D. Ross, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24
GERTRUDE PONTIUS—Closing Out Farm Sale at Rt. 22, four miles west of Circleville and 5 miles east of Williamsport.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

H. D. WRIGHT—Personal property on my farm located 1 mile northwest of New Vienna on State Route 72, 10:30 A. M.

Sale conducted by The Bailey-Murphy Co.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25
FRANK E. WEAVER—Closing Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment on Leesburg Road, 2 miles west of Williamsport, 6 miles east of New Holland, 1/2 mile south of Route 21, 11:30 o'clock.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26
CLARENCE HETTER—Closing Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, 5 miles east of Circleville, second house east of Dresbach Church on Tarleton Pike, 10 o'clock.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

BRANSON HAKES—Personal property on what is known as the Edith H. Dakin farm located 6 miles southwest of Sabina, 5 miles south of Melvin and 2 miles north of Williamsport.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Estate of Howard Emerson Ludwick deceased. Notice is hereby given that Alice Mae Ludwick has been duly appointed and qualified as Executrix of the estate of Howard Emerson Ludwick, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

OTIS B. CORE, Judge of the Probate Court, Fayette County, Ohio.

No. 4887
October 9, 1944
W. S. Faxon, attorney

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

Probate Court, Fayette County, Ohio. Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Section 10506-34 of the General Code of Ohio, of the filing of accounts in said Court by the Executors and Administrators of the following estates, to-wit:

4729—Walter Girard

4777—George Clark

4763—O. W. Ervin

And by the Guardian of the following ward, to-wit:

1444—William E. Over

Notice is also hereby given, in accordance with the Special Rule of Practice of said Court, that, on the 10th day of November, 1944, at 10:00 A. M. the Court will examine said accounts and, if found correct and in conformity to law, will order said accounts settled and recorded and said fiduciaries filing final accounts discharged, except as to such accounts upon which, on or before said date, a hearing is requested or ordered by the Court in accordance with Sections 10506-36 of the General Code of Ohio.

OTIS B. CORE, Judge.

October 10, 1944.

1 mile north of Centerville on the Road Road, 12:30 P. M.

Sale conducted by The Bailey-Murphy Co.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27
ANDY L. HAYNES—Closing Out General Farm Sale and Household Goods, 6 miles south of Washington C. H., 5 miles north of New Holland, 2 1/2 miles west of Johnson's Crossing, on the West Road, 11 o'clock.

Eckle and Bumgarner, auctioneers.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28
C. H. MOORE—100 acre farm with good improvements together with all personal property. Located 4 miles northwest of Williamsport on the Center Road. Personal property sale starts at 10:20 A. M., farm sale at 1 P. M.

Sale conducted by The Bailey-Murphy Co.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2
CLAUDE FRIEDRICK and O. L. (Doc) ALLEN—Closing Out Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, 2 1/2 miles east of Madison Mills, 5 miles east of Bloomingburg on the Jones Road, 11 A. M.

W. M. Eckle, auctioneer.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13
MILT WILLIAMS, Administrator of estate of Olive Lambert—Sale of Real Estate, 1322 Grace Street, Washington C. H., Ohio, 2 P. M.

M. W. Eckle, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15
JOHN D. DURANT—Closing Out Sale of Farm Equipment, also 58 head of cattle and other livestock, 7 1/2 miles southeast of Greenfield, 2 1/2 miles east of Fruitdale, 1 1/2 miles south of South Salem, 10 A. M.

J. D. Ross, auctioneer.

Radio Programs

Tuesday

5:00—WLW, News

WBNS, News

WING, Terry and Pirates

WHIO, Sally Music

5:15—WLW, Encore Club

WING, Dick Tracey

WKRC, Jam for Supper

WHIO, Edwin Hill

5:30—WLW, Little White House

WKRC, News and Rhythm

WING, Jack Armstrong

WHIO, Bonds

WBNS, Doris Lee

5:45—WLW, Lowell Thomas

WBNS, World Today

WHIO, World Today

WING, A to Z Novelty

6:00—WLW, Music Shop

WKRC, News

WING, News

WHIO, S. Burick

WBNS, Jim Cooper

6:15—WLW, News Reporter

WKRC, Dinner Dance

WHIO, John Nesbit

WBNS, Block Sisters

WING, Sun Serenade

6:30—WLW, The Lion's Roar

WILL REBUILD BLOCK WIPED OUT BY BLAZE

Central Grocery Co. Will
Resume Business in
New Quarters

William M. Campbell, owner of the buildings destroyed in Sunday's fire when the Central Grocery Company and Meriweather Motor Company were burned out, said Tuesday that he will consult local architects and contractors at once and plan erecting a new building on the site of the structures destroyed.

At the same time he announced the Central Grocery Company, in which he owns the controlling interest, will resume business next week, and that one of the warehouses of the plant of the Fayette Canning Company had been vacated to be used until the new home of the company is completed on Market Street.

While plans for rebuilding the block wiped out by fire were being made, insurance adjusters were here for fixing the amount of the loss.

Meanwhile, Robert Meriweather, whose garage occupied the room on the east side next to the alley, is seeking a new location, and so far has not been able to find one in which to resume his garage business.

Men injured when the walls of the building collapsed while they were assisting in fighting the flames, are improving rapidly. Fred Pope, fireman, who sustained a fractured scapula, will be off duty for weeks, and Maurice Browder, 19, who has seen duty as a volunteer fireman, has been appointed to fill the vacancy while Pope is off duty.

Clarence Brown and Ross Bennett, taken to Mt. Carmel Hospital, are not regarded as in a serious condition, and may be released from the hospital soon.

As soon as insurance adjusters complete their task, the work of clearing away the brick and salvaging what is left of the grocery stock and brick will be started without delay.

LIE PINNED ON JAPS AGAIN BY NIMITZ REPORT THAT NO U. S. WARSHIPS ARE SUNK

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greatest bag of any single southwest Pacific raid.

Tokyo reported 14 Superforts, striking in four waves, bombed Swatow on the China coast opposite Formosa yesterday. Swatow was not mentioned in the army's report on yesterday's second B29 raid on Formosa's Okayama arsenal and Heito airships.

Even Nippon's usually victorious armies in southeast China were slowed down. Two strongly reinforced Japanese columns struck at Chinese west and northwest of Pignan in an effort to mop up Allied defenses so they could swoop down upon the U. S. air base at Luichow. Heavy fighting was reported 25 miles north of Kweilin.

Japanese resistance stiffened in front of their southwest Burmese base at Tiddim.

Jap Fleet Runs Away

Admiral Nimitz' report on the Formosa action indicated that Japanese fleet units came out in the belief that land-based bombers and torpedo planes had already raised havoc with the Halsey-Mitscher force. But "on discovering our fighting strength unimpaired," the communiqué said, the Japanese "avoided action" and ran.

In the three days of aerial assaults on Formosa, 191 Nipponese planes pressed attacks against the U. S. sea forces. Ninety-five of them were shot down. Five American planes were lost in this defensive action.

The Japanese aerial torpedoes hit "two medium sized ships," Nimitz said, but caused "no damage of consequence to our battleships or carriers."

County Courts

TRIAL UNDER WAY

The case of Ohio against Pearl Gilmore, indicted on a charge of picking the pocket of Curtis Hoop, was being tried before Judge H. M. Rankin and a petit jury Tuesday, with Prosecutor John B. Hill representing the state and R. M. Winegardner, the defendant.

The state called Harry Warfield, Curtis Hoop and Captain Jess Ellis as witnesses, and the defense called Delya Gilmore and Ernest Thompson.

The jury is composed of Marguerite Powell, Jean L. Warner, Ruth Belles, Tolen Brown, Ruth M. Duncan, Minnie Smith, Betty Korn, O. S. Minton, Stanley Helfrich, Gladys Merritt, Virginia Baer and Eva Owens.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Edward L. Canter, et. al., 4 acres, Jasper township.

Frank William to Ida Mae Williams, lot 77, Baker addition.

Frank Thornton, et. al., to Albert Warner, lots 17 and 18, North Shore addition.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Caliph H. Hurt, 46, farmer, Chillicothe, and Ida M. Steinhauer, 47, Leesburg, R. 2.

Robert Ellsworth Newell, 23, sailor, city and Mary Frances Palmer, 19, city.

Grover R. Shipley, 28, candy maker, and Helen Hollar, 21, candy maker, city. (Applied for).

AIR MAIL USE GROWING, STAMP SALE DISCLOSES

Postal Receipts for Last
Three Months Also Show
Big Gain

During the last three months a huge increase in the number of air mail stamps sold was recorded at the Washington C. H. Post Office.

Postmaster W. E. Passmore said Tuesday that for the three months the number sold was 38,150 compared with 20,650 for the same months in 1943, or an increase of 17,500.

Last year, it will be recalled, the sale of airmail stamps showed a tremendous increase over the sales the previous year, as the public became more air-mail minded.

Apparently the big increase is due largely to the great number of letters sent by air mail to men in the armed service who are located at distant points.

During the same three months, of July, August and September, the postal receipts here reached \$16,715.93 compared with \$14,056.29 for the same three months in 1943.

This is an increase of \$2,659.64. Allowing 10 percent for the increased rates which prevail, over last year, the net increase would be \$1,254.02.

It is also pointed out that in addition to the great number of air mail stamps sold, large numbers of letters are sent air mail with ordinary stamps sufficient to carry them, and simply marked "Air Mail."

SHORTAGE OF LABOR FOR PUMPKIN PACKING

Pumpkins are arriving by the truck load at the Fayette Canning plant where the work of packing pumpkins is now under way, and an urgent call for help in handling the pumpkin crop has been made by the management.

Work of packing pumpkins and pulping tomatoes is being handicapped by lack of workers, it was stated. All are asked to apply directly to the plant.

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COLD
USE 666
Cold Preparations as directed

NEARLY 6,000 PARCELS SENT MEN OVERSEAS

Peak Reached Monday With
801 Dispatched from
Local Post Office

Monday proved the greatest mailing day for sending Christmas parcels to the men and women in the armed forces overseas when 801 were mailed at the Washington C. H. Post Office.

Part of the time a line of parcel-bearing people formed before the window in the Post Office lobby, and at one time nearly a score stood waiting their turn.

For the most part the parcels were regulation boxes, but many were cartons picked up for the purpose, securely wrapped with heavy paper and tied with strong cord.

Sunday 111 parcels were dispatched at the local office. Postmaster W. E. Passmore having kept the office open part of the day Sunday to accommodate those who had not sent the parcels.

Postmaster Passmore Tuesday estimated the total number of parcels sent from the local office at upward of 6,000 and as nearly all weighed around five pounds, the limit, the total weight of all parcels sent would be nearly 30,000 pounds.

Some idea of the tremendous volume of Christmas parcels sent throughout the nation may be gained by the figures here, where 2,000 men are in the armed forces, but only part of them overseas.

Monday was the last day for mailing Christmas parcels to men and women in the armed service.

SABINA BAND MAKES ASSEMBLY FEATURE

Special Instrumental Numbers
Are on Program

A trumpet trio, a baritone solo and a clarinet quartet featured the Sabina High School band's first assembly program.

Mary Lou Van Pelt, Marilyn Sanders and Ivan Gallaher were in the trumpet trio. Virginia Van Pelt played the baritone solo and clarinetists in the trio were Martha Jo Cline, Shirley Chance, June Bandy and Jiridna Snider.

Personnel of the entire band is: clarinets, Shirley Chance, Martha Jo Cline, June Bandy, Jiridna Snider, Charlotte Sheley, Marcella Cline and Mary Lou Lightner; saxophones, Anna Haines, Joy Dun, Don Frisby, Joan Foster and Joann Sparks; trumpets, Albertine Rittenhouse, Mary Lou Van Pelt, Marilyn Sanders and Ivan Gallaher; flute, Erma Shown; baritone, Virginia Van Pelt and Betty Williams; trombone, Jean Palmer; horn, Joe Deney; drums, Dwight Sparks; Bob Pritchett and Paul Sparks, bass horns, Carl Senne and Dale Driscoll and bells, Mary J. Wilson.

LOIS DEWEESE HEADS WHS
MAGAZINE DRIVE TUESDAY

Lois DeWeese, WHS junior, is the first overclassman to rank as the top salesman for any day so far during the current magazine drive at the high school.

When sales were tabulated Monday, Lois came out ahead with \$38.50 to her credit. Mrs. John Alton's seventh grade home room rated highest in collective sales, however. The total so far in the drive is \$1,675.

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THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



Fayette County Boys With Armed Forces

Lt. Jack White has written his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen White, from Italy where he is stationed with the 5th Army, telling of his promotion in the field artillery, to first lieutenant.

Pvt. Robert P. Browning has arrived at Camp Howze, Texas, to begin several weeks training in the tank corps, having spent a 10 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Browning, near Bloomingburg.

Sgt. Paul Rush has been promoted to the rating of staff sergeant, in France. He has been in service since February 11, 1943, and overseas seven months.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rush of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Happenny, S. Fayette Street, have received word their son, Pvt. Cecil K. Happenny, has arrived safely somewhere in France.

He is one of three sons now serving overseas, Cpl. Paul Happenny being stationed in Holland, and Pvt. Charles Happenny somewhere in the South Pacific.

Mrs. Earl Confer, Jr., of Cocoa Rockledge, Fla., has received word her husband has been promoted to staff sergeant. Staff Sgt. Confer is with the 37th Division stationed in the South Pacific, and has been overseas since May of 1942.

Mrs. Confer is making her home in Cocoa Rockledge, while her husband is serving overseas.

MADISON BOOSTER NIGHT DRAWS 100

One Act Play Featured on
Varied Program

Over 100 attended the Madison Good Will Grange booster night at the Grange Hall for a varied lecture hour and program, it is reported today.

Helen Engle, lecturer was in charge of the program which opened with a trio by Sarah, Wilma and Johnny Melvin. Other numbers on the program were a dual reading by Marilyn and Gordon Writsel; a reading, "Spreading the Save" by Mrs. Fred Van Schoyck; a duet, "Roll Along Prairie Moon," by Mrs. Kenneth Stoer and Mrs. Fred Van Schoyck accompanied by Mrs. Kenneth Campbell; a reading, "Look at this Autumn-Blessed Land" dedicated to the four Grange members in service, was read by Mrs. H. W. Melvin.

Another feature of the program was a one act comedy, "Henry's Mail Order Wife." Mrs. Wayne Shobe directed the play. The cast included Mary Jean Reichelderfer, Ann Dorn, Floyd Hornbeck, Lewis Parrett, Robert Hughes and Ed Bower.

Grange members are asked to bring a pumpkin pie or doughnuts to the next Grange meeting October 25.

MRS. MATILDA BOND DIES AT REST HOME

Mrs. Matilda Bond, 80, died at the Carr Rest Home here Tuesday at 4 A. M. She had been a patient there for over a year.

She is survived by one brother, Alfred Rees. Burial will be made at the Walnut Creek Cemetery near East Monroe. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

RELATIVES MEET ON ISLAND BASE IN THE PACIFIC

Staff Sergeant Earl Confer,
Corporal James Steed Are
Brothers-in-law

When two old friends meet overseas, it's news. But when brothers-in-law meet and one is virtually a welcoming committee for the other on a South Pacific island, it is exceptional.

The brothers-in-law were S. Sgt. Earl Confer and Cpl. James Steed. Sgt. Confer's wife is the former Frances Steed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Steed, 736 Washington Avenue, Cpl. Steed's parents.

This is the story according to a letter from Sgt. Confer to Miss Doris Steed:

"Of all the places to meet someone, here I meet James. . . Yes, we are together after such a long time. Seems like such a small world now but I can say we both were very happy. . . I saw him at a distance and I knew it was him after not seeing him for a long time. Right away he didn't know me, but it did come to him and boy what a smile of relief it was for him.

"I went over to his outfit last night early and we spent a long time talking together—things about home and what's going on. And I took him something to eat along with some beer and boy was he ever satisfied with it."

Sgt. Confer has been with the 37th division since its organization four years ago. He has been overseas since May, 1942, and is believed to be in New Guinea or Bougainville. His home is in Xenia.

Cpl. Steed has been overseas a little over a month. He has been in the service since March, 1943. His wife is the former Melba Lewellen, daughter of C. L. Lewellen, 322 East Street.

HALF OF BALLOTS FOR SOLDIERS BACK

Only a Few More Applications
Are Expected Here

About half of the 727 soldier vote ballots which have been mailed from the board of elections here have been marked and returned—if you insist on figures, the exact number is 350.

Although they still are coming in the daily amount is declining steadily and board of elections officials believe only a few more applications will come in.

The marked ballots which have been returned will be forwarded unopened to the precinct where the voter lives. They will be opened and counted with the civilian vote the night of November 7.

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MRS. RACHEL GIBSON'S FUNERAL IS MONDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Rachel Elizabeth Gibson were held Monday at 2 P. M. at the Hook Funeral Home. Rev. Delbert Harper was in charge of the services.

He read a memoir and delivered the sermon. Rev. Ernest Beverly offered prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Laris Hard sang the three hymns, "Face To Face," "Rock of Ages" and "Going Down the Valley."

Burial was made in the family lot of the Washington C. H. Cemetery. Pallbearers were Robert, Thomas and Charles Funk, Earl Landon, Albert Hawkins and Willard Wisecup.

MRS. JACK RUHL HAS PURPLE HEART AWARD

Posthumous Medal Sent Her
By War Department

Mrs. Jack Ruhl, 508 South Fayette Street, today has a posthumously awarded Purple Heart for her husband, sent her by the War Department.

Mrs. Ruhl said she had not been notified when her husband was wounded and received only a telegram saying he had been killed in action June 25.

Pfc. Ruhl would have been in the service a year next Monday. He went overseas last April 1 and was reported killed in France.

MRS. LAURA BARR GREENFIELD — Services for

Mrs. Laura Barr, 82, wife of Samuel Barr who died Sunday, were held Tuesday and burial made in Frankfort cemetery. Mrs. Lillie Crone of Washington C. H. is a sister of Mrs. Barr.

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